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Allies Near Breakthrough on Gustav Line

Senate Balks At Cloture; Sidetracks Poll-Tax Bill

Gagging Southern Foes of Measure Loses in Test by Vote of 44 to 36

(Roll Call on Page 5)

By Robert C. Albright

The Senate yesterday sidetracked the filibuster-bound antipoll-tax bill after refusing 44 to 36 to silence the Southern opposition with a debate-gagging cloture rule.

The cloture move, invoked only four times in Senate history, fell five votes under a simple majority, and 18 votes below the two-thirds margin required to clip off a filibuster.

Convinced with cloture's failure that the bill could not be forced to a vote for months, Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley joined the move to lay it aside to make way for other pressing legislation.

Veterans Bill Takes Place

Together with Acting Senate Republican Leader Wallace H. White, jr., Barkley supported a motion by Senator Bennett Champ Clark (D., Mo.), to displace the poll tax ban with a pending veterans' bill.

Clark's motion was approved 41 to 35 after a brief, but futile fight by sponsors of the bill abolishing State poll taxes as a Federal voting prerequisite, to keep their beleaguered measure before the Senate.

Thus ended, probably for the balance of this session, the Senate's second effort in three years to force the House-passed legislation over the Senate's Southern wall. The filibuster, more of a therat than a fact in this fight, had lasted only five days.

Thirteen Republicans joined with 31 Democrats to knock down the cloture attempt. Voting for cloture were 18 Republicans, 17 Democrats and 1 Progressive.

Vote to Displace Bill

The party breakdown on the vote to displace the bill was: For displacement—29 Democrats and 12 Republicans. Against displacement—18 Democrats, 16 Republicans and 1 Progressive.

In a statement following the two votes, Walter White, secretary of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, called the Senate's performance "a farce from start to finish." He said colored voters will "remember those who betrayed democracy in November, 1944 and in succeeding Novembers."

White accused Senate supporters of the bill of "a lackadaisical attitude." He said "a coalition of Southern and Western Democrats, together with reactionary Republicans, have won the day."

Just before the bill was laid aside, Barkley told the Senate it was obvious to him that if the Senate will not pass a cloture rule "we can never get a vote."

"Whatever people outside the Senate may think, no amount of outside pressure can change the Senate's attitude on cloture," the leader said. "It is unfortunate and regrettable, but it would be a futile waste of time to go on with debate."

White Backs Barkley

Senate Republican Leader White backed Barkley's stand. He said the substantial majority against cloture meant Senators "have expressed themselves as hostile to this anti-poll tax bill at this time." To keep the bill before the Senate, White said, would mean "a stagnated condition here, with important pieces of legislation dammed up."

Four moves were made by poll tax foes to save the bill, but each was doomed from the start:

Senator Claude Pepper (D., Fla.), who earlier had warned the Senate it was setting a precedent that may thwart ratification of the peace treaty, sought to displace Clark's motion with a direct vote on a tabling motion. His move was ruled out of order.

Senator Robert A. Taft (R., Ohio), made a point of order against Clark's motion, contending it was unparliamentary to move to call up a bill when another measure is before the Senate. His point of order was over-ruled.

Patriarch Dies In Moscow at 78

London, May 15 (AP).—Metropolitan Sergei, 78, Patriarch of Moscow and all Russia, died today of a brain hemorrhage, Tass news agency reported today from Moscow. His funeral will be held Thursday.

New Type Carrier Plane

Associated Press Photo by U. S. Navy

FOR NAVY PLANE FLEET—Still in the testing stage, this twin-engine all stainless steel heavy cargo carrier plane is the first of its kind to come off the production line and when accepted will be used to move rapidly whatever equipment is needed by the armed forces. Preliminary engineering work on the plane started the day after the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor

Sedition Case Jurors Sifted, Eleven Seated

Only One Change Possible Now; Trial To Get Going Today

By James E. Chinn

Eleven of the 12 jurors who will decide the guilt or innocence of the 29 defendants in the mass sedition case were permanently seated yesterday as the big trial, for the first time since it opened April 17, appeared to be on the verge of actually getting under way.

So confident is the Government that the preliminaries are virtually over and that dilatory defense tactics are at an end, it ordered two of its many witnesses now in Washington to be ready for an immediate call to District Court.

Only the selection of one more juror and two alternate jurors who would be available to go into the jury box on a moment's notice in event of any emergency, is necessary to pave the way for the Government to begin the prosecution of the 27 men and two women it has charged with attempting to nazify American democracy. These details are not expected to take more than an hour or two.

Last Delay By Defense

Chief Justice Edward C. Eicher, presiding, had hoped to complete impaneling the jury before adjournment of court yesterday, but failed to reach this desired goal by yielding to the pleas of defense lawyers for an overnight delay to give them additional time to decide how to execute their final peremptory challenge.

Sweeping changes were made during the day in the complexion of the tentative jury of nine men and three women. Altogether nine replacements were made—six by the defense and three by the prosecution. As now made up the jury is composed of 10 men and two women, and only one of them is subject to replacement.

The defense used up four of its peremptory challenges in removing Negroes from the prospective jury. Of the three the Government plucked out of the jury box, one

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Orlemanski Placed Under Doctor's Care

Springfield, Mass., May 15 (AP).—The Rev. Stanislaus Orlemanski, storm center of a Catholic Church controversy as a result of a recent flying trip to Moscow to confer with Marshal Josef Stalin, tonight was under care of a physician who described him as "on the verge of a complete physical and mental breakdown."

Dr. W. C. Kotarski said the priest was confined to bed in the rectory of his church, although the chancellor of the Springfield Diocese, the Rev. George A. Shea, said earlier that Father Orlemanski was "in or on his way to a monastery."

Father Orlemanski's priestly privileges have been suspended by his superior, the Most Rev. Thomas M. O'Leary, Bishop of pringfield, as punishment for leaving his parish without permission.

Father Shea told a press conference that a letter Father Orlemansko wrote to Bishop O'Leary announced the priest's decision to accept the punishment.

Father Orlemanski's two brothers, priests stationed in Cleveland, Ohio, and New Kensington, Pa., respectively, reportedly left for Springfield last night and were believed to be with the suspended clergyman.

Father Shea said that he "thought it likely" that material Father Orlemanski brought back from Russia might be forwarded to Church officials, but he declined to say whether that meant his bishop, the Apostolic Delegate at aWshington or the Holy See.

The chancellor added that Father Orlemanski would not be restricted from writing about or discussing his trip so long as he covered only historical facts and di dnot touch on faith and morals.

A regulation of canon law requihes that any priest who writes about religion must obtain the imprimatur (approval) of his bishop befor the matter can be published, Father Shea pointed out.

(In Washington, a Polish spokesman said the embassy would like Washington a report on his con-Father Orlemanski to bring to versation with Premier Stalin concerning Russian and Poland.

Miller Trial Opens; Second Panel Called

Hint of Insanity Defense Seen in Queries to Jurors

By Winifred Nelson

The belief that Robert I. Miller will plead not guilty by reason of insanity was lent credence yesterday by the type of questions asked of prospective jurors as trial of the 67-year-old attorney, accused of fatally shooting Dr. John E. Lind, opened in District Court.

Action to select a jury bogged down at the end of the day when the supply of jurors on the first panel of 60 was exhausted and only nine men and two women remained unchallenged. A second panel of 60 was called.

Miller stroked his neat snowy white mustache throughout the proceedings and frequently raised his shaggy eyebrows.

After marching briskly into the courtroom, Miller seated himself beside one of his attorneys and studied a copy of the indictment accusing him of the love-triangle murder of Lind, in which his wife, Mrs. Marguerite Mary Miller, is the apex.

Justice Questions Jurors

Visiting Justice Ben Moore of West Virginia questioned jurors himself, and on request of defense attorneys queried the group: "Do you have doubt that you would put as much faith in the testimony of a psychiatrist as in that of any other type of witness?"

Defense counsel sent three psychiatrists to visit Miller in his District Court cell last week.

Other questions that touched on a possible insanity plea were:

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Chinese Open 1st Big Drive In 7 Years

20,000 Cross Salween in Effort To Join Stilwell's North Burma Force

Chungking, May 15 (AP).—More than 20,000 Chinese troops have plunged across the Salween River in western Yunnan Province at a dozen points, the Chinese high command announced today, opening China's first real offensive in seven years of war with the objective a junction with Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's troops about 150 miles away in northern Burma.

Casualties on both sides were heavy along the 130-mile front as the Chinese, achieving an extraordinary degree of surprise, crossed the river on three successive nights in the face of heavy counterattacks.

The Chinese were aided by a unique American military organization, a "Y force," in the powerful drive ordered by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek to break Japan's blockade. Ultimate objective of the offensive is to slash through upper Burma and connect the Burma Road with Stilwell's two-lane Ledo Highway.

Meet Little Opposition

Little Japanese opposition was encountered by the Chinese expeditionary force until the footholds were won. Some thrusts along mountain trails were halted by units of Japan's battle-toughened Fifty-sixth Division which counter-attacked in force.

The offensive had the strong support of Sky Dragons of Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault's Fourteenth Air Force, which bombed and strafed enemy positions.

Fighting thus far, severe but on a small scale, has developed near the villages of Ping Ka, 24 miles southeast of Lunling on the Burma Road; Hongmoshu, 21 miles east of Tengchung, north of the Burma Road and about 50 miles from the eastern Burmese border; Tatangtzu, 29 miles northeast of Tengchung, and in the Kaoli Mountain barrier approaches.

Jap Troops Annihilated

At the same time, in Honan Province to the north, the Chinese communique said that Japanese troops who had broken through into Loyang at three points had been annihilated, as defenders battled desperately to save the key city. In that sector also Chennault's air force was active in support of the Chinese.

The communique indicated that Chinese forces in southern Honan still were astride the Peiping-Hankow Railway, at Suiping, 110 miles south of Chenghsien, after reopening a gap in the Japanese hold on the line.

The immediate objective of Stilwell's Burma forces, the town of Kamaing, about 40 miles west of Myitkyina, is within about 150 miles of present Chinese positions on the Salween.

The Salween offensive was opened Wednesday night by troops under the command of Marshal Wei Li-huang, seasoned veteran who is called "100-Victory-Wei"

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Nazi Lines Breached

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

FRENCH MAKE IMPORTANT GAIN—Arrow from French flag indicates capture of Ausonia, making what the Allied communique called a "significant breach" in the German defenses. Other arrows indicate Allied drives in the new offensive in Italy, including the American capture of Santa Maria Infante

Chinese Push Near Kamaing In Burma Drive

Stilwell's Men Only Ten Miles From Jap Base

Kandy, Ceylon, May 15 (AP).—Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's main forces, striking for the Japanese base of Kamaing in northern Burma, were reported only 10 miles north of that pre-monsoon objective tonight after Chinese troops advancing down the Mogaung Valley joined up with other Allied units.

Capturing Tarongyang, 11 miles north of Kamaing, the Chinese pushed ahead another mile to Manpin, joining forces with advance units, which had been holding Manpin for several days.

28 Miles From Myitkyina

Kamaing lies 40 miles west of Myitkyina, main Japanese base in northern Burma. Burmese troops fighting for the Allies raided Tangpu, only 28 miles north of Myitkyina, closest thrust yet toward that vital base, but no details were given.

In eastern India, meanwhile, British troops pushed ahead against the Japanese invaders southwest of Imphal, and mopping up operations also continued southwest of Kohima, 65 miles to the north, where the enemy has been reported regrouping in strength.

Jap Supplies Destroyed

Reports received here said Allied chindits operating in mid-Burma were supporting the Allied attacks on the Imphal front by destroying large Japanese supply dumps.

A dispatch from Thoburn Wiant, Associated Press correspondent with Stilwell's forces, said a two-lane highway on which a procession of American trucks streams in both directions had been extended to the very edge of Japanese artillery fire.

In the air, Allied warplanes continued wide operations, with heavy bombers pounding the Indaw rail station on the Mandalay-Myitkyina line Saturday night and RAF planes lashing at troop concentrations in the Arakan, Kaladan, Bishenpur and Kohima area yesterday and Sunday.

Preinvasion Blitz Carried Into 31st Day

Small Formations Of Bombers Blast Coastal Defenses

London, May 15 (AP).—Unhampered by the German air force, small formations of American heavy and medium bombers blasted Hitler's sprawling coastal defense system today, carrying the preinvasion air offensive into the 31st consecutive day.

A German raid on south England Sunday night killed a half dozen persons. At least 15 of the attackers were reported shot down.

Approximately 250 Flying Fortresses and Liberators and an additional force of Thunderbolts and fighter-bombers bombarded objectives in northern France while A-20 light bombers drove to the Paris area and hit an airfield near the badly battered Creil railroad yards. Marauders bombed a railroad yard also.

The Vichy radio said the Lille and Valenciennes areas were hit.

Not a bomber was lost of those involved in the operations—nor in the far-flung RAF night bombing attacks a few hours before, when Mosquito bombers hit Cologne and unspecified military objectives in France, Belgium and Holland. One escort plane was missing in the daylight blows.

The Paris radio went off the air at 8:12 p. m., indicating a possible evening attack.

Outside of that activity—with the Mediterranean 9ir Rorce diverted to close support of the new ground campaign in Italy—the great north-south Allied air offensive which started April 8 was virtually at a standstill. It was an ominous hiatus for the Germans.

No one doubts the lull is merely a period of massing forces for the next, and possibly greatest, effort of the war.

German airmen who raided southern England last night, eventily sought to somek out invasion preparations as well as to bomb. Although the German force may have been several hundred planes, the bombing was called disproportionately small, indicating a number of them were on reconnaissance.

Nazi Italian Flank Is Cut To Shreds in Wide Thrust

Yanks and French Troops Fan Out In 60-Mile Area; 8th Forges Ahead

Naples, May 15 (AP).—French and American troops shredded the lower half of the Germans' Gustav Line today and a breakthrough by the British Eighth Army appeared imminent in the heavily-defended sector below Cassino.

Fanning out through 60 square miles of rugged tableland and flat river valleys which they controlled after fierce fighting since the push opened Thursday night, Fifth and Eighth Army trops slugged doggedly forward.

"Torn to shreds" was AP Correspondent Edward Kennedy's description of the left flank of the Nazi line in a gront dispatch.

Penetration of the Gustav Line developed into what was erported officially as a "significant breach," but beyond it and up the Liri Valley leading to the Hitler Line the way is studded with anti-tank positioss and the Germans still hold commanding ground north of the valley.

Nazis Flee Before French

(Gen. Alphonse Juin announced in a telegram to Gen. Charles de Gaulle at Algiers that his French expenditonary corps had entered San Giorgio in the Liri Valley, south and captured Corino in a seized a dominating ridge to the general advance against the Germans, who were retreating in disorder. He said the French had taken 1000 prisoners, with the number of captives mounting steadily.)

Heavy fighting progressed in the Spigno area, with the French again in the thick of it. The Americans, after occupying Santa Maria Infante, pressed toward the strong point at Spigno(and at sundown the Germans were reported withdrawing from several areas.

(The German high command declared that German troops had recaptured Santa Maria Infante, DNB said in a late broadcast.

Across the bridges of the Rapido River, the machinery of war moved swiftly, with the Eighth Army gnowing systematically at the German garrison in the Lower Liri Valley, which for months has barred the way to Cassino. Advance parties of Allied forces have stabbed within a few miles of the Hitler line, which the Germans have been ordered to hold at all costs. The Rapido bridgehead now is strongly established, said a field dispatch.

Ausonia Falls to Allies

Earlier, General Juin's French, battling their way to the tops of hills dominating the Liri Valley, southwest of Cassino, had captured the important town of Ausonia.

Americans, fighting on the left of the French, slashed across the important Ausonia-Formia highway and captured commanding heights beyond, while British Eighth Army forces deepened their hard-won bridgehead across the Rapido River south of Cassino to more than a mile and threatened

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Allied Airmen Heavily Bomb Wakde Island

Allied Headquarters, New Guinea (Tuesday), May 16 (AP).—Allied airmen, pressing their drive to immobilize Japanese airpower on the path to the Philippines, have lashed Wakde Island off the northwest coast of Dutch New Guinea with another 220 tons of bombs, headquarters announced today.

Liberators, ranging our farther to the northwest, again attacked the Schouten Islands, 260 miles northwest of captured Hollandia. Wakde Island is 120 miles northwest of Hollandia.

The extermination raids on Japanese troops bypassed on New Guinea below Hollandia continued. Bombers concentrated on enemy concentrations in the Wewak-Hansa Bay area.

On the ground, Australian troops edged up the British New Guinea coast closer to the Hollandia-Aitape area which was invaded April 22. They neared Bonabun, 16 miles north of Cape Croisilles which they reached last week.

And Police the World

'Join the Navy,' Gates Suggests For Postwar Military Merger

By Mary Spargo

If Congress wants to consolidate the armed forces, it should "look into merging the whole military organization into the existing Navy," Artemus L. Gates, Assistant Secreary of the Navy for Air, declared yesterday.

Gates told the special House Committee on Postwar Military Policy that this "may sound startling when first stated," but that the Navy "by itself can police the world."

After the war the United States will have the largest Navy the world has ever known, Gates asserted.

"With it we will have the Naval Air Force and the Marines, together with many years' experience in the conduct of two and three dimensional warfare, and with the machinery for the common procurement of materials, supplies, bases, etc., already well developed and functioning. tI can operate on sea, under the sea, in the air, in amphibious operations and on land. This force by itself can police the world. tI is the nucleus around which can be built one force."

Gates said he was "very definitely in favor of continuing reorganization studied, but just as definitely opposed to any action at this time other than that which is being effected by the services themselves."

The Assistant Navy Secretary, a former pilot of Army and Navy planes, said that any drastic action taken now will have an extremely bad effect on the war effort.

"We are winning this war," Gates said. "We have overcome tremendous initial handicaps. The services are cooperating and are making great strides in the elimination of duplicating and overlapping functons. They are all contrbuting equally in this. Do not upset that balance now. Let us wait until the war is over, until we have a better idea of what are to be the national policies and requirements in the peacetime world which follows the present conflict."

Gates particularly emphasized the importance of Naval Aviation.

"It is my firm conviction, and I cannot emphasize this too strongly, that if the Navy is to continue to be fully effective, it must control and have, as an integral part of it, its own naval aviation. Without the incorporation of all necessary elements, without ships, aircraft, submarines, torpedoes, guns, communication, training ets., we would not have a Navy. If you take any of the elements and place it under the control of an agency

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At Sparrows Point

Walkout of 53 Men Closes 3 Landing Craft Steel Mills

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—A walkout of 53 shear crew members forced a shutdown of all three steel plate mills at the Bethlehem Steel Co.'s Sparrows Point plant today and made approximately 900 workers idle, company officials said.

The mills were engaged in making steel plates for landing craft and other vessels.

The management reported that the third shift, due at 3 p. m., failed to report for work. The next shift change is at 3 a. m.

General Manager Stewart J. Cort of the company said, in a statement, that the walkout was "in clear violation of our contract with the United Steelworkers of America (CIO), and of labor's no-strike pledge. Military and other government authorities have been notified."

Staff Representative Glee Smith at the headquarters of Sparrows Point Union Locals 209 and 210, said he did not know the cause of the interruption but that his organization was attempting to persuade the men to return.

Detroit, May 15 (AP).—The first disturbances incident to the strike of war plant foremen here were reported to police today as Alfred F. Jackson, president of the Aeronautical Products Co., told them he had been chased across the plant yard and a window in his automobile broken by pickets.

At the Murray Corp. of America main plant police broke up a demonstration after a group of striking foremen surrounded a scout car into which two of their number had been taken for questioning.

Approximately 3300 striking foremen, seeking recognition of their independent union, remained away from their jobs in 13 Detroit area war plants today, despite a War Labor Board directive calling upon them to return to work this morning.

Report to Congress

4 Times More Elk Hills Oil Needed for Pacific Fighting

By the Associated Press

Military heads informed Congress yesterday that a quadruple expansion of the oil output from the Elk Hills reserve in California is "imperative because of the Pacific war.

This information from the joint chiefs of staff was relayed to the House Naval Affairs Committee by Ralph A. Bard, Assistant Secretary of the Navy. His chief, Secretary James V. Forrestal, also termed the expansion "vital."

The armed forces want to jump the Elk Hills output from its current 15,000 barrels a day to 65,000 barrels and also seek authority to take 30 million barrels from the reserve by the end of next year.

Most of the expansion is contemplated to step up the high octane gasoline supply, which is undergoing the drain of mighty air battles in Europe and rapidly growing attention to the Pacific fronts.

The subject came up when the Naval Commmittee took up a bill the late Secretary Knox worked out to meet objections to the original contract with Standard Oil for development of the Elk Hills reserve.

Chairman Vinson announced he was "unalterably opposed" to the new version, contending it would allow the Navy and Standard Oil to work the field together, thus "bypassing Congress."

He suggested amendments which he said were approved by Knox before his death, which would require congressional approval of all production and financing, and would forbid the Navy from advancing or lending any of its oil to the Standard Oil firm.

If the oil company does not agree, Vinson said the Navy should proceed to buy up all the reserve or acquire it by condemnation.

Bard said Vinson's plan was agreeable to the Navy but it might take too much time. He urged adoption of a simple resolution authorizing the Navy substantially to increase production.

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Half of Yugoslavia Freed, Tito Says

War Sidelights

Reds Help Norwegians Fight Nazis

Stockholm, May 15 (AP).—Norwegian and Russian Partisans have been landed in far northern Norway from Soviet submarines which slipped past German defenses through the Fjord-dotted coastline, the Stockholm Tidningen said today.

Quoting private sources, the newspaper said the Partisans were reported conducting small-scale guerilla warfare against the Germans.

Asks Beer on Navy Ships

Naples, May 15 (AP).—United States Naval craft in northwest African waters would have beer aboard if he had his way, Vice Admiral H. K. Hewitt said today in discussing some of the problems of his men while here on an inspection trip.

All alcoholic beverages have been banned on American naval vessels since before prohibition. Hewitt, U. S. Naval Commander for the northwest Africa area, said one of the biggest complaints of his men was that they could not get ashore often enough for a drink of beer.

Miller Jittery In New Type Of Court Role

By Anne Hagner

The jittery tapping of a paper clip on a polished table top yesterday convinced acquaintances of Robert I. Miller that the 67-year-old attorney on trial for murder in District Court is a far cry from the self-assured figure so familiar about local courtrooms for the past 30-odd years.

Miller, who faces a first degree murder charge for the shooting of Dr. John E. Lind on a downtown corner, February 21, began the fight for his own life in a dark blue suit that gave mute evidence of the 38 pounds he claims to have lost since the love-triangle killing three months ago.

Occasional heavy silences, as Miller's battery of three lawyers and two assistant United States attorneys for the prosecution pondered over witnesses, were broken by the drumming of the silver-haired defendant's heavily-veined hands, or by the tick-tick-tick of the paper clip he twisted in his fingers and tapped on the table.

Scene Foreign to Liking

For Robert I. Miller, it was his least impressive performance in a bizarre career as criminal lawyer during hundreds of similar trials amid the same cast of characters and upon the same stage. But Robert I. Miller, long acustomed to heavy character roles that occupied the center stage, yesterday found himself in a scene so foreign to his liking that even his bushy white brows glowered a protest.

During the long hours required for choosing a jury, Miller took far less interest in the naming of the 12 persons who will decide his own fate than he once professed in the jurors who would acquit or convict his clients. Several times, when prospective members of the panel told Justice Ben Moore of former acquaintanceship with the aged defendant, he turned in his chair to identify the speaker. Otherwise his watery blue eyes darted about the courtroom, evidence more of nervousness than of interest.

Far From Licked

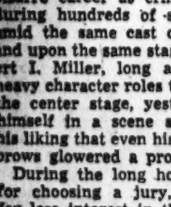
Although early in the day the aged defendant appeared to be a thinner version of the dapper occupant of the picturesque "Not Guilty Building" that houses his office, his outward serenity was not with him for long. The trial did not begin until 11:10 a. m.—70 minutes later than its scheduled opening—and possibly the wait had worn upon his nerves. Shortly after the luncheon recess he twisted restlessly and once pounded the arm of his chair with his fist. Those who knew him well commented: "This is telling on Bob."

Despite his obvious tension, the frequent puffing of his cheeks, the toying with his white mustache, Miller nevertheless appeared to be in the "excellent physical condition" described by his lawyers before the trial. What they say about Robert I. Miller is, he may be jittery but he's far from licked.

"Meet Your Carrier"

Introducing readers to the boys who deliver The Post to their doorsteps every morning.

Ronald E. Estes, son of Edward E. Estes, 4023 N. Washington blvd., Arlington, Va., has been a Post carrier for the Clarendon Branch in Arlington for the past 11 months. Ronald is in the seventh grade at Washington and Lee High School where he is president of his home room. He also plays quarterback on the school's football team. Ronald is known as an excellent pianist, having won an award pin from the National Federation of Music. His branch manager reports that he is a very reliable carrier.



ESTES

Patriot Army Plans Counterblow With Invasion, He Declares

By the Associated Press

The Yugoslav Partisan Army, practically 600,000 strong—already has freed one-half of Yugoslavia and will open a general counteroffensive against the Germans when Europe is invaded from the west, Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) has declared in interviews with two Allied correspondents at his mountain headquarters.

Tito declared his army of liberation would continue the struggle even beyond the liberation of all Yugoslavia until Germany is totally defeated, and that his national liberation movement sought to build a "truly democratic" country in a federation of all nationalities.

An American correspondent, Stoyan Pribichevich, of Time, Life and Fortune; a Briton, John Talbot, of Reuters, and two photographers, chosen by lot, journeyed to Tito's mountain stronghold in a trip arranged by the Allied military command at Cairo. Their stories dated May 6, were released yesterday by the Ministry of Information in London and Office of War Information in Washington.

Counteroffensive

Highlights of iTto's replies to questions Pribichevich and Talbot asked him were:

"With an early opening of the second front the Germans will not be capable of any more offensive actions in Yugoslavia" and "the national liberation army will be able to go over to a counteroffensive 'on all sectors.

Already, counting "the various parts of the liberated territory in the various provinces, you can say that one-half of Yugoslavia has been liberated," and Partisans control many points in still-occupied areas.

The National Committee of Liberation, established in opposition to the Yugoslav government-in-exile at Cairo of King Peter, "so far has not officially requested recognition from the Allied governments, being aware of the international diplomatic situation, but we believe that in the near future there will be no obstacles for our allies to recognize the national liberation committee as the sole legitimate representative of the peoples of Yugoslavia."

"We expect on the principles of lend-lease such future aid from the Allies as will satisfy the needs not only of the present army, but a potential army of 600,000 fighters."

Has 150,000 Fighters

Tito said he now had 150,000 fighters, with his force increased since last winter, that Allied aid recently has been increased but was still "too little," but was "to be increased by a variety of means." The principal need is for tanks, planes and motorized equipment, he added.

He declared his national committee should be represented in the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration since "it controls a big liberated territory where the civilian population is in urgent need of aid."

After the war, his committee plans and already has begun creating a system of equal federal representation of Yugoslav nationalities in a true democracy, the Marshal said.

Pribichevich and Talbot also described sessions of the Second Anti-Fascist Youth Congres of Yugoslavia, representing 500,000 youths 15 to 25 years old who form "the spine of Tito's Army," and told of meeting Maj. Randolph Churchill, son of Prime Minister Churchill, on arriving at an airfield in Yugoslavia.

Plane of Welded Stainless Steel Is in Production

Philadelphia, May 15 (AP).—A new welded stainless steel cargo plane, th eConestoga, is in full production at the Edward G. Budd Manufacturing Co. plant, the Navy announced today.

The two-engine, 68-foot aircraft with an upsweep after-body giving it the appearance of a flying whale, is the first plane in which welded stainless steel has been used to a large extent, the Navy said.

Doors on opposite sides of the fuselage permit launching of paratroops and supplies simultaneously from both sides in contrast to conventional one-door transports.

The ship is capable of carrying 10,400 pounds over a range of 650 miles, but its maximum range can be increase dto 3500 miles with auxiliary fuel tanks. Two 1050-horsepower engines give it a cruising speed of 165 miles per houn. Total weight fully loaded is 33800 pounds.

Thomas Berry Higgins

Funeral services for Thomas Berry Higgins, 84, a member of one of the capital's oldest families, who died Sunday at Doctor's Hospital, will be held at 2 p. m., tomorrow, from Gawler's funeral home, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw. Burial will be in Glenwood Cemetery.

A graduate of Harvard University and the old Columbian University Law School, now George Washington University, Higgins practiced law in Spokane for more than 35 years. He retired from active practice in 1920 and shortly afterward established his permanent home in Washington where he lived at the old family home 1212 Massachusetts ave. nw., until recent years. He was living at the Raeligh Hotel when taken ill.

Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Edna M. Greene, wife of Dr. Samuel H. Greene, and two nephews, Frank Shipe and Maj. Donald H. McKnew all of Washington.

A Sub Is Christened

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SENATOR'S WIFE "PRESIDES"—Champagne splashes as Mrs. Styles Bridges, wife of the Senator from New Hampshire, lustily smashes the traditional bottle against the prow of the USS Moray, one of two submarines launched at the Cramp Shipbuilding Co. yards at Philadelphia Sunday

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"Have you ever been unde rthe responsibility of caring for someone; do you have any set ideas on insanity, and would you require stronger evidence in case of an insanity plea than you would in any other kind of defense?"

The court heard what was interpreted by listeners as a reference to Mrs. Miller when a prospective juror, asked if she knew any reasons why she could not serve during the trial, replied, "Yes, I think the wrong person was shot."

Queries to Jurors Studied

Justice Moore, from Charleston, W. Va., and attorneys for both sides spent much time reviewing a list of questions to be asked the jurors, after the court had asked the preparation of the list so he might propound the questions himself.

Only one member of Dr. Lind's family was in the courtroom—his son, William A. Lind, now serving in the Army. Mrs. Miller, said to have been seated in Dr. Lind's car at 11th and G sts. when the shooting took place, was not in court.

Among the observers were many well-known lawyers and Municipal Court Judges George Neilson and Nathan Margold.

The trial is being conducted in the Municipal Court Building rather than in the United States Courthouse to provide greater seating facilities.

Soldier Gives Life to Save His Platoon

With American Troops at Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, April 28 (Delayed) (AP).—The Army records will show that Pvt. Artie Bracknell, "above and beyond the call of duty ,agve his life to keep his platoon from being annihilated."

Bracknell, inducted in Fort Payne, Ala., is a hero in the eyes of his buddies. This is their story:

Artie was a leading scout for his platoon as it advanced through the jungle near Hollandia. That meant he went first, exposed himself to draw enemy fire and then, if everything was all right, motioned his platoon to follow.

This day, he came to a river, narrow but swift. He crossed it, climbed up the bank where his platoon could see him—and walked straight into a Japanese machine-gun nest. He must have surprised them, because a Japanese was standing in front of the pillbox and Artie brought him down with his rifle.

Then he fought it out with the enemy in the pillbox, pouring round after round. But the Japanese were firing back and his platoon saw him stagger under the enemy bullets.

Still standing, his back to the enemy, Artie waved his platoon to stay back out of danger. Then he fell.

Sicilian terrain is so rugged that it is 20 miles from Ragusa to Comiso by rail, but only 10 by airplane.

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was a woman employed at the Internal Revenue Bureau, another is the owner of a radio service and repair shop, and the third is head of a firm which has contracts with the Government.

Makeup of the Jury

The make-up of the nearly completed jury, follows:

1—Walter I. Plant (63), 36 R st. nw., Washington, representative of manufacturing firms in New York and Chicago.

2—Nyle B. Eakle (40), 5736 Sherrier Pl. nw., foreman of the meter reading division of the Potomac Electric Power Co., who has three brothers in the armed services, one of whom is a German prisoner of war.

3. Henry Aschenbach, (42), 6310 5th st. nw., branch manager of Peoples Drug Stores.

4. Mrs. Alice Jump Billingsley, (38), 1148 45th pl. se., chief operator, C. & P. Telephone Co.

5. John H. Bahlman (31), 439 11th st. ne., exchange teller for Union Trust Co.

6. Thomas B. Bailey, jr., (42), 1733 Trinidad ave. ne., serviceman for the Washington Gas Light Co.

7. Earle R. Alvey, jr., (22), 2312 40th st. nw., clerk, Riggs National Bank, youngest of the prosepctive jurors, who was recently honorably discharged from the naval air corps.

8. Mrs. Julia Tenny Butt, (57), 2428 16th st. nw., housewife.

9. Charles M. Saeger, jr.) (50), 4312 Fessenden st. nw., metallurgist, Bureau fo Standards.

10. Leo F. Diegelmann (41), 3745 Cumberland st. nw., pharmacist.

11. Frederick A. Raulin (53, 1 Sherman Circle nw., former baker now engaged in house remodeling.

12. Ralph I. Ega n(60), 1713 Newton st. nw., an meploye of the Department of Commerce, whose son in India.
in the armed services is stationed in India.

WPB Allocates 32% of Penicillin To Civilian Use

The War Production Board yesterday allocated 32 per cent of the Nation's output of medicinal penicillin to civilians, but officials cautioned that continuation of the supply would depend entirely on military needs.

May production was estimated at 108 billion units, an increase of 50 per cent over April, and more than three times the March supply of 35 billion units.

Minimum essential civilian requirements of the "wonder drug" have been estimated at 69 billion units—about twice this month's civilian supply. Maximum civilian requirements are set at about 400 billion units.

A sharp increase in military needs for the use of battle casualties could sharply reduce the supply available to civilians, a WPB spokesman said. Machinery to allocate the drug to 1000 civilian depot hospitals has been set up by WPB.

KING ENTERTAINS PREMIERS—Prime ministers of Great Britain's dominions are entertained at Buckingham palace by King George VI of England. Left to right: Peter Fraser of New Zealand, John Curtin of Australia, Winston S. Churchill of England, King George, W. L. Mackenzie King of Canada, and Field Marshal Jan Christiaan Smuts of the Union of South Africa.

ITALY

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to outflank Cassino's powerful defenses.

In 72 hours of fighting against a determined foe who had been digging in for months, the Allies had nearly erased from the map the looping western segment of the Gustav Line between Cassino and the seacoast. More than 2000 Nazi prisoners already had streamed back into the Allied pens, and the enemy's losses in killed and wounded had been correspondingly heavy.

German Troops Trapped

German troops trapped between the swiftly advancing American and French spearheads appeared to face the alternatives of fleeing into the lofty Arunci Mountain Range at their backs, surrendering or being annihilated.

(The German communique said that "during furious fighting in which the enemy lost 50 tanks south of Cassino alone, our troops on the southernmost sectors of the front disengaged themselves several kilometers to the west toward prepared bolt positions."

(A correspondent of DNB German news agency reported that the Allies were preparing to open "fresh operations" on the eastern side of the Anzio beachhead in the Pontine marshes, approximately 50 miles from the Fifth Army's present advance. Other Nazis dispatches said the Allies were charging behind clouds of artificial fog.)

For the third straight day the Allied air forces unleashed virtually everything on mand against the enemy, attacking him at every vulnerable point between his gun positions and command posts on the battle line and his freight yards in northern Italy.

2500 Sorties Made

Mustangs and Kittyhawk fighters maintained a "cab rank" above some sectors, whipping down continuously to bomb and strafe specific targets in conformance with radio orders from observers on the ground. A dozen types of combat planes piled up 2500 sorties Sunday.

Heavy artillery directed by RAF pilot spotters backed up the French troops as they snaked their way along valleys and over ridges in the wake of probing tank formations. In the course of yesterday's bloody advance General Juin's forces took the villages of San Ambrogio, Ville Maio and a number of other points before closing on San Giorgio and capturing Ausonia. They also mopped up several enemy strongpoints that were bypassed on the first and second days of the offensive.

San Angelo Cleaned Out

The Eighth Army's Gurkha troops in the Cassino sector cleaned out remaining enemy strong points among the cellar labyrinths of San Angelo, which was by-passed earlier. Other Allied troops eliminated Nazi pockets in the area where the Liri and Rapido Rivers join.

The German Seventy-first Division, which was entirely reconstituted after the original was wiped out at Stalingrad more than a year ago, bore the brunt of the Fifth Army attack and lost more than 1200 men in prisoners alone, including six battalion commanders.

The only point where the Allied attack appeared to have slowed down was northwest of Cassino, where the Germans had rushed in reinforcements and hastily strengthened their defenses against the Poles. Southwest of Cassino a crack Nazi parachute division counter-attacked repeatedly with the support of artillery and a few tanks.

Poles Go Into Action

Writing from the Cassino sector, Edward Kennedy of the Associated Press said of the Poles:

"They went into action against a superior German force, gained their first objectives and then were driven back by the most furious counterattack the Germans have yet launched in this offensive. Casualties were heavy on both sides—heaviver than anywhere else on the Italian front.

"The Poles regrouped and went back into the attack and the fight still is raging. It is a desperate one, with fanatical Nazi paratroopers on one side and revenge-thirsty Poles on the other."

More than 30 enemy planes were sighted Sunday, of which 10 were reported shot down. Six Allied craft were missing.

Despite the announcement of a "significant breach" in the German defenses, the Allied command emphasized that a swift conquest of any sector could not be expected, and that progress necessarily would depend upon the speed with which supply lilines could be established through a rugged country where normal means of communication are wrecked.

FINAL EXAM—A student parachute rigger at the Lakehurst, N. J., Naval Air Station comes to earth in a chute he rigged himself to complete the jump required of all male riggers of the school. Students jump from a blimp.

President 'Over Top' Today; Tight Primary in California

Candidates Run on Both Tickets; All Delegates Pledged

By Paul Miller

Chief of the Associated Press Washington Bureau

San Francisco, May 15.—California, where most office seekers run on both major tickets, came up to a State-Wide primary tonight amid prospects of light balloting and the possibility tardy soldier votes might keep a tight race in doubt for a month.

Interest nationally is shared by tomorrow's U. S. Senatrial contest, with Senator Sheridan Downey (D.) seeking renomination, and the election of 56 Democratic and 50 Republican National Convention delegates. Nomines will be named also in each of the State's 23 congressional districts.

Downey is running on both Democratic and Republican tickets, cross-filing as California law permits. This is going to be complicated, with three other Democrats ocratic nomination contest and and seven Republicans in the Democratic and eight Republicans and three Democrats including Downey on the Republican ballot.

Votes for Warren, Roosevelt

The presidential primary, on the other hand, is cut and dried. A delegation pledged to Gov. Earl Warren for President is unopposed on the Republican side, while the Democrats have only the slate pledged to a fourth term. There can be no write-in voting. Hence, the dopesters may add 56 votes to the convention list pledged to President Roosevelt—and start a new column, for Warren, with a first entry of 50.

Republicans seeking Downey's seat are Lieut. Gov. Frederick F. Houser; Philip Bancroft, rancher; William G. Bonelli, State board of education member; Justus Craemer, State Railroad Commission member; Charles Johnson, State treasurer; Alonzo J. Riggs of Los Angeles; John J. Taheny, San Francisco lawyer, and Roland C. Casad of San Diego.

The Democratic opponents of Downey are State Senator Jack B. Tenney, Mrs. Irene Dockweiler, widow of former Representative John B. Dockweiler, and John S. Crowder, Long Beach educator.

Downey, saying he was too busy being a Senator at Washington to come home, ran his campaign through a brother, Stephen, Sacramento lawyer. Both Republican andDemocratic opponents have assailed Downey as "ineffective"—"he's the little man, who wasn't there," quipped one. Downey supporters reported the Senator could and would stand on his record.

Republicans showed a percentage gain in total California vote registrations. Of the 3,370,976 registrants, 1,968,376 are Democrats and 1,285,977 Republicans. This is a Democratic percentage of 60.5 of the total vote, against a Republican percentage of 39.5. In 1942, the Democratic percentage was 62.7 against a Republican 37.3.

More than 42,100 absentee ballots mailed to service personnel and others will be counted late—and therein lies the possibility of a month-late report on a close contest. The deadline for the canvass of these votes is May 14. An election official said it may be the end of June before the totals are all in.

4 States to Assure Him Enough Votes; Okla. Gives Him 22

Oklahoma City, May 15 (AP).—The Oklahoma Democratic Convention today pledged its 22 votes to be cast as a unit at the national convention in Chicago next month for renomination of President Roosevelt. There was no debate.

By the Associated Press

The drive to assure President Roosevelt of more than enough convention votes for a fourth-term nomination rolls "over the hump" today despite his silence on whether he will accept.

Democrats in four States—California, New Jersey, Delaware and Montana—are expected to name delegations largely favoring the President's renomination. The four States have a total convention vote of 104, and Mr. Roosevelt needed only a few of those for a first-ballot nominating majority of 589.

California GOP to Pick 50

Meanwhile, California Republicans will elect 50 delegates technically pledged to Gov. Earl Warren, who says he never would have agreed to be keynoter at the Chicago convention had he been seeking either the Presidency or the vice presidential nomination.

Nevertheless, the 50 "favorite son" votes will put Warren in third place in the Republican convention sweepstakes, which Gov. Thomas E. Dewey is leading by a wide margin with 268 pledged and claimed delegates.

In second place is Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, with 56. Others still in the running, by virtue of having delegates pledged or claimed for them, are Lieut. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen, with 34; Gov. Simeon S. Willis of Kentucky, 22; Gov. Dwight Griswold of Nebraska, 6, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur and Gov. Leverett Saltonstall, Massachusetts, 3 each.

Picture by States

Here is the day's primary and convention picture by States:

California—Democrats elect 52 delegates favoring a Roosevelt-Wallace ticket. They also nominate candidates for the Senate seat now held by Sheridan Downey and for 23 House seats. Republicans choose 50 delegates nominally pledged to Governor Warren, and also nominate for the Senate and House posts.

New Jersey—Democrats name 34 delegates, with only four candidates entered against a fourth term slate. Republicans elect 35 delegates from a field of 13 openly favoring Dewey and a party-backed uninstructed group that Gov. Walter E. Edge said was "going to push" for Dewey's nomination.

Montana—Democrats elect 10 delegates, Republicans, 8.

Delaware—Democrats name 8 delegates, the Republicans already have chosen 9 who favor Dewey.

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other than the Navy, you will impair the effectiveness of that element and the effectiveness of the Navy as a whole."

Vice Admiral John S. McCain, deputy chief of naval operations for air, detailed for the committee some of the uses of naval air forces.

"Striking, coverage, reconnaissance, trailing, antisubmarine work, torpedoing, bombing, are all involved," he said.

Adventist Savant Dies in Jap Camp, Conference Hears

Prof. Bert Buron Davis, 64, former dean of education of the Philippine Adventist College at Manila, died at Bagui in February, according to a cable received yesterday at general conference headquarters in Takoma Park from the Japanese Red Cross. It was the first death reported in the group of 90 Adventists held is prisoner by the Japs.

Assigned there since 1933, Davis previously was director of education for the Michigan conference.

Fall Proves Fatal

Irving Smith, Negro, 36, died at Emergency Hospital yesterday apparently from injuries suffered last Friday when he fell from a second-floor window at 6455 Barnaby st. nw. A neighborhood handyman, Smith lived at the home of retired Police Inspector and Mrs. William Holmes of 6447 Barnaby st. nw.

Russians Sink 6 Ships, Smash Planes, Tanks

London, May 15 (AP).—Powerful aerial attacks on German land and sea transportation by Soviet airmen were announced tonight by the Russian high command, which said there were "no essential changes" on the long eastern land front.

The midnight communique said an enemy convoy of 41 ships was caught in the Norwegian port of Kirkenes Sunday night and that three transports totaling 19,000 tons, a self-propelled barge, an auxiliary vessel and a patrol cutter were sunk.

In addition, the communique said, three Nazi transports were set afire and one was beached. Other transports and escort vessles were reported damaged.

Attacking Nazi rail concentrations in old Poland, in the vicinity of Lwow, Soviet airmen started fires and explosions among German military trains and supply depots at Ravaruskaya, Stry, Dvinsk, Ukhno and Dobrozin, the high command said.

The Russian communique said 19 Germa tanks were destroyed and 33 enemy airplanes brought down either in combat or by antiaircraft fire on all fronts.

The Berlin radio said Soviet troops on the lower Dnestr River had "succeeded in penetrating into our positions with a few tanks and infantry" between Grigoriopol and Dubosary northeast of Chisinau.

The Berlin radio said 128,000 German troops had been evacuated from the Crimea by naval craft and 20,000 by plane before the Russians recaptured the peninsula. In addition, the broadcast said, hugh stocks of military supplies were "far-sighted planning of the German command."

The Russian claims of more than 111,000 Axis casualties in the Crimea fighting were characterized by the Berlin radio as "exaggerated."

CHINA

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because of many successes in minor engagements.

Dorn Commands Y Force

Force is under the command of Brig. Gen. Frank Dorn. With the broad objective of stepping up the fighting efficiency of the Chinese expeditionary force, has Y Force been supplying certain arms, ammunition and other material, helping to organize supply transport, and advising on tactics and strategy.

Torturous mountain trails loom up before the attackers. Forty miles north-northeast of Tenchung, set in the most forbidding terrain of the sub-Himalayan range, is Amien Pass 7 or 8 miles from the Salween. An attempt to crack the Japanese hold on upper Burma by such a route is looked upon as a military gamble against some of the world's worst terrain and the ever-present monsoon bugaboo.

At a press conference, the CEF high command indicated a full appreciation of those hazards, but it remained unexplained why the Chinese were launching upon such a major venture now. Gen. Hsiao I-Hsu, the CEF chief of staff, estimated there was a month of good fighting weather ahead.

4500 Men Due To Get Wings if Wasp Bill Passes

By the Associated Press

A corps of over 4500 men who entered flight training back in 1942 may win their long-sought commissions as air force officers on the coattails of congressional action to commission the Army's women pilots.

Members of the Women's Auxiliary Service Pilots (Wasps) would be made Army officers by passage of the Costello bill, slated to come before the House shortly.

Attached is an amendment by Representative Brooks (D., La.), which would direct the Army to commission all "qualified" pilots of the abandoned war training program of the Civil Aeronautics Authority.

Brooks told the House Military Committee that most of the men were on the eve of graduation when word came in January that the course had been abandoned.

Gandhi Has Hookworm

Bombay, May 15 (AP).—A medical bulletin said today that Mohandas K. Gandhi, Indian nationalist leader ill with malaria fever, also has amoebic dysentery and hookworm.

Don't Believe
A laughing jackass is a 4-legged animal!

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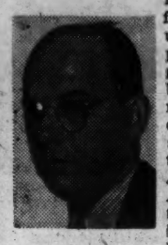
The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Federal Reserve Man Loaned for FEA Job

M. S. Szymczak, a member of the Federal Reserve Board, is slated to be loaned to Foreign Economic Administration to handle its Belgian affairs. He'll build up a staff of experts on Belgium and they'll be ready to move in to take over civilian supply operations behind the Army when the Allies kick out the Nazis. FEA is picking similar "big names" to handle supply in France, the Netherlands and other occupied countries. . . . Mike Meehan this week will return to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce where he'll resume his old job as director of research and statistics. He's been on loan to War Production Board. . . . The Society for the Advancement of Management will hold a two-day conference at the Statler starting tomorrow. Many top Federal officials will attend.



The gossip within OPA's rationing division is that Col. Bryan Houston asked to be returned to active Army service weh nthe decision was made to call off most meat rationing without his knowledge. Officially, OPA says he had already overstayed his leave and the Army wanted him back for an important mission. The division will be kept intact . . . A survey of Federal agencies made a year ago shows that the average employee takes seven days of sick leave annually . . . James Hasselman, FEA press chief, has quit to become special assistant to Jack Hutson of Commodity Credit Corporation . . . Frank H. McIntosh has resigned from WPB's radio and radar division . . . Many an Army officer yesterday went back home to change his clothes. It was the first day that summer uniforms could be worn.

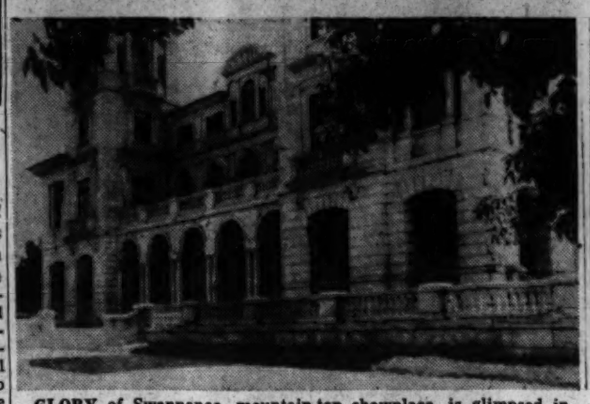
RELEASES: If you quit your Government job without a release you must wait 30 days after your annual leave has expired before you can take another job in the Government. But if you wish to take a job in private industry you must wait 60 days from the last day you were on the job. Annual leave is no factor here . . . The Corcoran Art Galley will be open to Federal workers tonight for the last time. The Potomac Choral Club will sing several of the new compositions of Ethel Abbott, a War Department employe . . . The hardest-working person at the recent ILO conference in Philadelphia was John S. Ganbs, a native of this city who was secretary to the American delegation . . . Interior Department has appealed for more women workers.

RECOGNITION: War Department, AGO: Morris Clark won a $250 award for a suggestion that'll save the taxpayers $40,000 annually. Basil H. Britten is the first AGO employe to get a second award. He was given $100 for a worthwhile suggestion, and Emily Labenberg of the same office was given $150 for her suggestion that will save $8000 annually . . . INTERIOR DEPARTMENT: Mrs. Gertrude O'Neil, a $1600 Bureau of Mines clerk, has been given a $60 meritorious promotion for a suggestion that'll save tons of paper. An award of excellence and a $200 salary boost was given Joseph Axelrod, a Geological Survey chemist, who invented an apparatus to find vanadium. Awards of merit for good suggestions were given these employes: Don Bloch, John Webster, Gordon Boardman. Mrs. Anita Fogg, Quentin W. Lindh, Dorothy Koziski, Jean Neal, and Marion Ginnaty. In War's Office of Transportation, awards have been made to: Golda Kortum, Samuel Nash, Cletis Davis, and Donna Finvold.

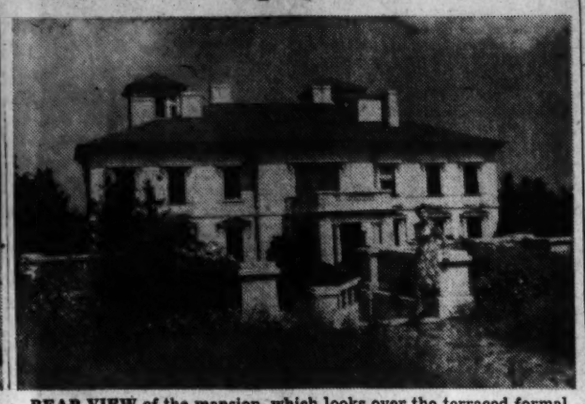
It now appears that the 4000 skilled craftsmen at the Government Printing Office will be given a pay raise which will become effective the middle of July. Chairman Hayden of the Joint Congressional Committee on Printing has promised "prompt" action. His statement, made to Jesse Manbeck, president of the Columbia Typographical Union, follows: "Under the law there can be no actual raise in pay at the GPO until one year after the decision rendered on July 9, 1943, but in view of the increases in compensation that have been gained in the private printing industry during the present year there is good reason to anticipate that the negotiations will result in advances in the hourly rates of pay for printers which Senator Hayden will ask the Joint Committee on Printing to approve promptly next July."

The Senator went on to say that GPO employes would have an even more persuasive argument for raises if other Government employes doing the same kind of work ple will point to the fact that are granted them. The GPO peoprinters, pressmen, and ohter mechanics in the lithographic sections of Federalw agencies here will be given raises next month up to 20 per cent. GPO pressmen already have asked for $1.62 an hour and the printers are expected to demand about the same figure. . . . Mrs. Harriet A. Freeman, who had never been tardy or on authorized leave or absence during her 26 years in the Navy Department, was retired on Saturday. She was chief clerk of the general file section.

Swannanoa, Million-Dollar Showplace of Blue Ridge, Goes on Auction After 8 Years of Unlived-in Splendor



GLORY of Swannanoa, mountain-top showplace, is glimpsed in this front view showing marble colonnades and ornate architecture



REAR VIEW of the mansion, which looks over the terraced formal garden. Once spectacles of order, flowers and weeds now bloom wildly

A. A. Harkness Burial Today; Court Clerk

Mutual, Md., May 15 (AP).—Funeral services will be held tomorrow at Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Port Republic, for Arthur A. Harkness, 76, clerk of Calvert County Circuit Court for 27 years, who died Saturday night.

Harkness was a Republican and a member of the Calvert County delegation to the Maryland General Assembly from 1905-07. He served as register of wills for one term and as court clerk from 1915-42.

His wife, Mrs. Bessie Parran Harkness, and three sons, Harry H., Robert A. and David A., all of Mutual, survive.

T. Russell Cather

Winchester, Va., May 15 (AP).—Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. today for T. Russell Cather, 56, former State senator and a legislative leader during the regime of Governor Price, who died Saturday night at his home here. From 1916 to 1931 Cather served as Commonwealth's attorney for Frederick County.

Frank M. Cline

Salisbury, Md., May 15 (AP).—Funeral services for Frank M. Cline, secretary-manager of the Delmarva Credit Bureau, who died Saturday, were held in Salisbury today preliminary to burial in Greenmount Cemetery, Baltimore. He was 79.

'Gestapo' Tactics Of Mayor Assailed By Finance Aide

Cumberland, Md., May 15 (AP).—Finance Commissioner William E. McDonald from whom Mayor Thomas S. Post said he would request his resignation if he did not cooperate in furnishing data pertaining to the city's finances, today declared in a letter he is "not accustomed to having stenographic reports made of my conversations," adding that "the procedure smacks more of the Gestapo than it does of the American way of doing things."

McDonald pointed out in the letter that Mayor Post had his secretary take notes of a conversation on playgrounds last Thursday, and that when he discovered it, he walked out of the conference.

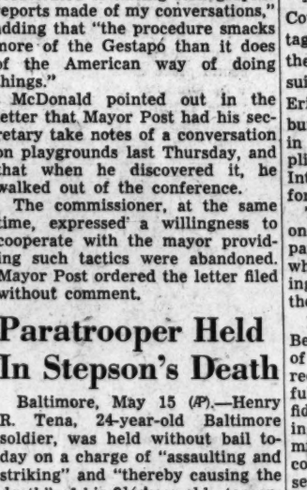
The commissioner, at the same time, expressed a willingness to cooperate with the mayor providing such tactics were abandoned. Mayor Post ordered the letter filed without comment.

Paratrooper Held In Stepson's Death

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Henry R. Tena, 24-year-old Baltimore soldier, was held without bail today on a charge of "assaulting and striking" and "thereby causing the death" of his 2½-year-old stepson.

Following his arraignment yesterday before Magistrate Preston A. Pairo in police court, May 17 was set as the date for further hearing for Tena, a paratrooper stationed at Fort Meade.

The child's 24-year-old mother told police she had left the child, Larry J. McMickle, in Tena's care Saturday night while she went to market. Police reported that the infant died on the way to the hospital. Mrs. Tena and the soldier were married last December.



PEDESTRIAN accidents continue to take a large toll, advise the Virginia State Police. Virginia accident reports for the year of 1943 show that 212 pedestrians were killed and 1077 were injured. Usuaully the pedestrian is at fault by his violation of safe walking practices. Be a safe walker—cross only at intersections—obey the traffic lights.

Look Before You Step and You'll Live!

Scheduled Sale Recalls Abandoned Plan Of D. C. Matron for 'Temple of Peace'

By Eileen Cameron
Post Correspondent

A mere shell of its former grandeur and beauty, yet a showplace even now, Swannonoa, the "white elephant" marble mansion of the Blue Ridge, is to be sold at public auction Saturday. Announcement by Elsworth Wiltshire, representative of the note-holders of the mountain-top 900-acre estate, brings the "daughter of the stars" into the news once again.

Relic of a period when men delighted in building lavish houses, built in 1912 before the days of macademized roads and the Skyline Highway, was for the wife of Maj. James Dooley of Richmond. Located between Waynesboro and Afton, the place has stood silent and unlived in for more than eight years.

Portrait of Mistress

A huge stained glass window at the first landing of the wide marble stairway leading to the second floor of the mansion is a portrait of the woman for whom the house was built and who lived only a few years in her mansion of the skies. Furniture in her room and fittings for her bath were designed with the swan motif in keeping with the mansion's name.

At the time the house was built, marble from Vermont, Georgia and even imported from Italy was dragged up the precarious Elk Mountain by muleback to go into the construction of the edifice on the 2260-foot elevation. Its red tile roofed towers still beckon travelers along the Skyline Drive and scarcely a day goes by that some curious one does not visit the old place, empty and uncared for since 1935, when the Swannanoa Country Club ceased.

On the death of the Dooleys, the house was unused for a time, since Mr. Dooley's sisters, heirs of the estate, did not wish to live there.

Once a Country Club

In the thirties, a group from Richmond took possession and financed the Swannanoa Country Club, where Richmonders and other Virginians and out-of-Staters enjoyed golf, tennis and other recreational facilities.

In 1939 it was announced that a "Temple of Peace" would be established atop the mountain by Mrs. Lois McGuire," reportedly a wealthy Washington society matron. From a powerful broadcasting station atop the Blue Ridge, she planned to "send a message of peace to the world."

That plan, too, fell through, and Swannanoa again was left in loneliness, while its gardens, which once cost $25,000 a year to maintain, became overrun with weeds and the garden pergolas began to crumble.

Caretaker Still There

There are stables, too, where the caretaker, Ernest Carter, now nearing 70, lives. Carter, himself, is a character and has been at Swannanoa for years. So far as anyone in the community knows, no one pays him for his trouble. He shows visitors through the shell of the 20-room marble house for 25 cents a person and tells them in no uncertain terms his opinion of people who break windows and destroy property.

Now that Swannanoa has come into public notice again, people of the locale are asking if there's to be a new day for the mansion on the mountain top. Is there to be found a practical use for the "white elephant" of the Blue Ridge, or is the million-dollar estate to crumble on its lofty place among the stars into oblivion?

Investor Loses In Suit Against Erie R. R. Board

New York, May 15 (AP).—Supreme Court Justice Bernard L. Shientag dismissed on its merits today the complaint in a stockholders' suit against the directors of the Erie Railroad which sought reimbursement for expenses incurred in the company's unsuccessful application in March, 1943, to the Interstate Commerce Commission for approval of a refinancing plan.

The court also dismissed a second cause of actoin seeking repayment of the cost of attorneys whfo represented a stockholder acting as intervener in opposition to the proposed refinancing.

Both actions were brought by Bernard Casey. In the first cause of action, Casey charged the directors incurred expenses "wrongfully and in violation of their fiduiary duty" in seeking refinancing through the medium of a 14-million-dollar issue of Erie's first consolidated mortgage, 3½ per cent series "D" bonds, maturing in 1956. He sued individually and "for the benefit of all other stockholders of Erie similarly situated."

Casey sued individually in the second cause of atcion, contending the ICC disapproved the original proposed issue of securities, and that a new plan of refinancing was adopted, as a result of his intervention.

Townsend Nurseries' Auction Brings $88,000

Salisbury, Md., May 15 (AP).—The E. W. Townsend & Son Nurseries, ordered dissolved after court action resulted from a disagreement between Sherman Townsend and his brother Ernest, brought $88,000 at public auction.

Portions of the property were purchased by each of the brothers. Sherman bought the packing plant and equipment, the office and one orchard. Ernest bought farms and orchards aggregating 295 acres.

Bread Price and Size Boosted in Winchester

Winchester, Va., May 15 (AP).—The retail price of bread in the vicinity of Winchester was increased from 10 to 11 cents per loaf today. Bakers said, however, that they would increase the size of the loaf. The increase was said to have been allowed under OPA Ruling No. 25, laready in effect in a number of eastern States.

Visible Grain Supply

Chicago, May 15 (AP).—Visible supply of wheat decreased 6,482,000 bushels to 100,100,000 bushels last week, the Board of Trade reported today. Corn decreased 379,000 to 7,350,000 bushels; oats decreased 152,000 to 5,67,000; rye decreased 809,000 to 21,704,000; barley increased 184,000 to 8,832,000 and soybeans decreased 392,000 to 8,074,000.

Col. Jeffrey, 27, Again Honored

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Command Headquarters, May 15 (AP).—Lt. Col. Thomas S. Jeffrey, Jr., 27, of Arvonia, Va., hero of one of the raids on the ballbearing factory at Schweinfurt, today was appointed commander of a fortress group, becoming one of the youngest officers in such a high post.

Jeffrey, whose new command will be a complement at one base consisting of several squadrons, has been a deputy commander of another group for nine months and helped to plan more than 100 operations. He received the Silver Star award for leading the group through a tough battle at Schweinfurt, and the group won a distinguished unit citation.

Few War Prisoners To Aid Md. Canneries

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Less than 25 per cent of the more than 4000 prisoners of war requested for work in Maryland canneries will be allocated by the Army, State War Manpower Commission Director Lawrence B. Fenneman reports.

Because of the availability of labor camps, the 1000 German prisoners to be assigned to Maryland will be distributed throughout the counties, Fenneman said.

The State director reported that the Army said prisoner labor would be available in the Baltimore area only in case of an acute emergency or danger of fodstuffs rotting for want of labor to process them.

Dividend Payments Up 1.3% in April

April cash dividend payments totaled $300,800,000, an increase of 1.3 per cent over the same month last year, the Commerce Department reported yesterday. They brought the total for the first four months of the year to $1,076,300,000 a gain of 2.2 per cent over the corresponding period a year ago.

Va. Boosters Organize

Richmond, Va., May 15 (AP).—A 12-man advisory committee on publicity and advertising has been formed by the State Corporation Commission to aid in postwar promotion of Virginia's tourist advantages, Chairman William A. Wright said today.

Charlottesville Woman Heads Va. Federation

Roanoke, Va., May 15 (AP).—The Virginia Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs elected officers and district members-at-large for the coming year and adopted a resolution opposing the use of the State literary fund for any purpose other than education.

New officers elected were Mrs. Lucille E. Mitchie, Charlottesville, president; Lena R. Cobb, Danville, first vice president; Vaudie J. Murphy, Martinsville, second vice president; Margaret Lynn Templeton, Staunton, recording secretary, and Sophie Eller, Abingdon, treasurer.

Members-at-large for the districts were elected as follows:

Abingdon, Mrs. Linnie L. Arnett; Alexandria, Mrs. Edna E. Kennedy; Arlington, Mrs. Ann Chew; Bedford, Katherine Claytor, Covington, Mrs. Lottie Earman; Fredericksburg, Mrs. Frances W. Parker; Galax, Ava Alderman; Harrisonburg, Mrs. Gladys Good; Hopewell, Mrs. Virginia H. Thompson; Lexington, Mrs. Florence Elliott; Lynchburg, Elizabeth Wilson; Martinsville, Mrs. Sallie S. Ingram; Norfolk, Mrs. Lettie Brookwell; Petersburg, Evelyn V. Andrews; Porstmouth, Mrs. Elsie M. Breedlove; Potomac, Mrs. L. Ray Torpy; Richmond, Charlotte Allen, Roanoke, Mrs. Nathalie Woodward; Virginia Peninsula, Mrs. Clyde R. Bennert, and Wytheville, Mrs. Elsie B. Marshall.

Delegate chosen for the national convention at New York July 12 were Mrs. Lillian Johnson, Norfolk; Mrs. Nina B. H. Avery, Richmond; Hilda Marshall, Martinsville; Cornelia Adair, Richmond, and Vaudie Murphy, Martinsville. Alternates were Sophie Jones, Norfolk; Ruth Crabtree, Abingdon; Lucille Cralle, Charlottesville, and Birdie Dodson, Portsmouth.

Sportsmen Ask 'Nonpolitical' Md. Game Warden

Annapolis, Md., May 15 (AP).—The League of Maryland Sportsmen recommends that a successor to E. Lee LeCompte, who will retire as State game warden in October, be selected by competitive examination and be a "man removed from politics."

At the final session of its two-day conference here yesterday, the league voiced its recommendation in the adoption of a resolution which also called for an "experienced and capable man" as the State game warden's successor.

Postwar construction of adequate and modern fish hatcheries by the State at an estimated cost of $250,000 and a cleaning up of the Patapsco River to "eliminate pungent odors" also was urged. Glenn L. Martin, vice president of the league, said the State already has $36,000 which could be used for the hatcheries.

Bodies of Two Fliers Sought in Va. Crash

Norfolk, Va., May 15 (AP).—Search for the bodies of two Navy men killed in collision of Navy planes Sunday morning near Creeds was continuing today.

Those reported missing were Lieut. Robert E. Hebbler, USNR, and Aviation Machinist Mate Second Class Barnette Johnston, both listed as Norfolk residents. Their ship crashed into a marsh near Currituck Sound but the other plane returned safely to its home base at the Norfolk Naval Air Station.

Guardsmen at Camp

Fort Eustis, Va., May 15 (AP).—Approximately 50 members of State Guard companies in the Richmond, Newport News and Norfolk areas arrived at Fort Eustis yesterday to begin a week's intensive schooling under the supervision of the Third Service Command Training Center.

Other classes of one week's duration also will be held for State Guardsmen from other sections of Virginia.

Three Factions Fight for Reins Of State AFL

Richmond, Va., May 15 (AP).—A third slate of officers for the Virginia Federation of Labor is planned by a faction described as a State-wide group, it was learned today as the federation opened its three-day forty-ninth annual convention.

The "State-wide" group planned to meet tonight to make its selections.

Already announced are the "progressive workers" group and the "administration" group. The "progressive workers" have announced they would seek a slate of officers "free from any political influences such as that which has retarded the labor movement in Virginia for many years."

Patrick Seeks Reelection

William F. Patrick of Richmond, president of the State labor group, has announced his candidacy for reelection. He asserted the administration would make no compromise.

Candidates for the "progressive group," selected earlier this month at Bristol, are Paul A. Askew of Norfolk, for president; B. B. Nelson of Roanoke, for vice president, and K. W. Lutz of Bristol, for secretary-treasurer.

Incumbent officials, in addition to President Patrick, are Sallie Clinebell of Lynchburg, vice president, and T. C. Welstead of Norfolk, secretary-treasurer.

Patrick, in a prepared speech before the convention today, denounced "enemies of labor, some of whom are in our own rank and file."

"Boobie Traps" Cited

The State federation president said "it would be comical if it were not tragic when one realizes the various pitfalls and boobie traps that are built and used by these enemies of labor—to tear out the very things that a clear-cut administration promises you.

"I know what kind of a labor movement Virginia wants and that is the kind of labor movement you are entitled to," he added, "but you will never get it by listening to propaganda specifically intended to make you mistrust your duly elected officers."

Governor Darden, in welcoming the delegates, expressed the belief that America can in the future realize a production of goods that will make "these days look like peace time."

Other welcome addresses were made by Mayor Gordon B. Ambler, of Richmond A. A. Thompson, president of the Richmond Central Trades and Labor Council, and St. Elmo Rede of Richmond, who welcomed the Negro delegates.

Patrick, in speaking of "enemies of labor," criticized "people who call themselves labor leaders" and who "have their stooges mislead you into believing that they are the great Moses, coming to deliver you from the very things you want in a labor movement."

Strikes Exaggerated

Concerning his appointment of J. F. Joinville of Richmond as combined State and national chairman, he said:

"My sole purpose in combining the above-mentioned positions was to keep the political bosses from playing one man against the other and giving them the run-around in general."

Lewis G. Haines, legislative representative of the federation, who represented William Green at the gathering, said that the "number of strikes which have occurred have been grossly exaggerated."

Virginia's War Mother of 1944

MRS. EVA M. PRICE

of Roanoke is Virginia's war mother of 1944. She was unanimously selected by a jury of three servicewomen who considered regional entries from all sections of the State

Wise Faction Wins in GOP Vote Recount

Roanoke, Va., May 15 (AP).—The State Republican Committee has voted to name as delegates at large to the National Convention at Chicago, June 25, the majority slate which was proposed by the "old-line" faction headed by Maj. Henry A. Wise of Albemarle, national committeeman, and which was recorded as defeated, 1021 to 895, by the minority ticket at the State GOP Convention here, April 15, precipitating a factional fight.

The majority slate was approved after the committee had declared that vacancies existed in the party offices.

Major Wise said that photostatic copies of the tally sheets of the convention showing that Richmond's bloc of 154 votes had been improperly recorded and counted for the minority ticket were presented to the committee.

Lester Parsons of Norfolk said that the State convention had duly elected delegates at large and charged that the committee's action was illegal. He is a member of the anti-Wise faction.

The committee also elected a vice chairman, two vice chairwomen, a treasurer and secretary. Named as vice chairman was Clarence R. Ahalt of Arlington, who succeeds Reyland C. Craft of Gate City. The women elected were Miss Phyllis Otey, Richmond, and Mrs. C. L. Hough, Roanoke, while Curtis M. Dozier, Richmond, was reelected treasurer, and William C. Deming, Front Royal, was elected secretary.

Named as degeates at large were Major Wise, Ahalt, State Senator Floyd Landreth, Galax, and State Senator Ted Dalton, Radford. Deming and John J. Wicker, sr., Franklin, were named as electors at large.

Girl Is Fire Victim

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Two-year-old Elsie Preissler of Baltimore died yesterday at the Johns Hopkins Hospital of burns suffered when her clothing caught fire from a trash blaze.

Eggs Declared Spoiling Due to Market Glut

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—A Southern States Cooperative representative declared today that eggs were spoiling in freight cars and warehouses in Baltimore because of a market glut and a shortage of storage space.

Manager R. C. Bourbeau of the cooperative, which markets eggs produced in Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Delaware, said that "when the Federal Government started the movement for the increased production, warehouse space for the increase was not provided.

"When we tried some days ago to get warehouse space we were referred to warehouses in Hagerstown, Salisbury and Wilmington, Del. It was not possible economically to shift the eggs from Baltimore to those cities."

Niles Baldridge, Baltimore War Food Administration representative, said that United States egg production was expected to increase 80 per cent over last year's.

Bonrdeau said his agency was encountering difficulty in getting wooden shipping cases and labor to grade the eggs. Price ceilings, he said, were not a great element in the situation because eggs were selling below the ceilings.

'Jaycees' Ask State to Ease Soldier Taxes

Braddock Heights, Md., May 15 (AP).—The Maryland State Junior Chamber of Commerce recommends that the State Legislature give the same consideration to men and women in the armed forces in income tax exemption as is given by the Federal Government.

A resolution incorporating the recommendation was adopted at the final session of the two-day Junior Chamber conference here yesterday.

A resolution urging member chambers to publicize provisions of a referendum appearing on the ballot next November providing for reorganization of the Court of Appeals also was adopted.

Richard S. Bowlus of Frederick was selected State president and C. William Gilchrist of Cumberland was chosen national director from Maryland.

First, second and third vice presidents, respectively, are Albert L. Sklar, Baltimore, Paul Horst, Hagerstown, and David Kaufman, Cumberland. Walter Mackay, Frostburg, was named treasurer and William R. Shildknecht, Frederick, secretary.

The Frederick unit received the Henry Griessenbier Memorial trophy for being the outstanding Junior Chamber of Commerce organization in the State for 1943.

Court Acquits Four Policemen In Brutality Case

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Four Baltimore police officers accused of assaulting and beating Lester C. Pearson, an ex-serviceman, on May 1 were acquitted today in criminal court.

Judges John T. Tucker and J. Abner Sayler, who heard the case in the absence of a jury, deliberated about 35 minutes. They did not comment on the case.

Freed b ythe verdict were William E. Brown, Frank C. Melzer, Michael Gillease, Jr., and Robert J. Hewes.

Earlier, police witnesses testified that no officer was standing within 10 feet of Pearson, a shipyard guard and preliminaries boxer, when he fell from a chair in the University Hospital accident room.

A hospital interne and nurse had testified for the prosecution last week that Melzer struck the man in the face and knocked him to the floor. Melzer said in his own defense that his back was turned when Pearson fell.

$50,00 0Fire Destroys Meadowbrook Clubhous

Baltimore, Md., May 15 (AP).—A three-alrm fire destroyed the clubhouse, indoor ballroom and pavilion at Baltimor's Meadowbrook swimming pool yesterday. Firemen estimated the damage at between $50,000 and $100,000.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, May 15 (AP) (WFA Office of Distribution).—CATTLE—Receipts, 450. 200 holdovers not included; all slaughter classes active; slaughter steers largely steady with last week's close; some sales 25 higher; heifers steady to strong; cows fully steady; bulls full steady; stockers and feeders fairly active, unchanged; load strictly good and choice around 1020 lb. steers, 16.30, early top; next price 16.20 for truck-lot around 960 lbs. with several loads and lots 16.50@16.00; low and average good, 14.40@15.35; medium, 13.00@14.15; odd choice heifers, 15.30; good 13.50@14.00; common and medium, 11.00@13.00; canner cows, 6.50@8.00; cutter and common, 8.50@10.00; medium dairy cows, 10.50@12.00; fat beef type cow heifers, 12.50; beef bulls, 12.50@13.75; top sausage bulls 12.00, sparingly 12.25; bulk, 9.25@11.50; good feeder steers around 570 lbs., 14.25; common and medium, 11.75@13.25.

CALVES—Receipts, 500. Active, steady with last week's close; good and choice vealers, 16.00@17.00; medium, 11.00@14.00; common, 7.00@10.50; culls down to 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 400. Active; 120-140 lbs. and 200-300 lbs. barrows and gilts steady with Saturday; 140-180 lbs., 10@20 higher; 180-200 lbs., 80@1.05 higher to conform with new support, weight and price range; sows, 25 lower; good and choice 180-270 lb. barrows and gilts, 14.30, the top; good and choice 120-130 lbs., 10.40@10.65; 150-160 lbs., 12.25@12.50; 160-170 lbs., 12.75@13.00; 170-180 lbs., 13.00@13.25; 270-300 lbs., 12.00@12.25; good sows up to 400 lbs., 10.00@10.50; over 400 lbs. considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 50. No wooled lambs offered; spring lambs and slaughter ewes active, steady with last week's close; strictly good and choice spring lambs 70 lbs. and up 18.00; fat wooled slaughter ewes, 7.00 down.

POULTRY—Market steady. Receipts light. Roasters, fryers and broilers: Rocks and Crosses, 34@35; Leghorns, 2 lbs. and over, 30@32. Fowl—Colored, 28@30; Leghorns, 24@25, few higher.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 15 (AP) (WFA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 14,000; total, 22,500; slow, good and choice 180-200 lbs. 50 to 1.00 or more higher than Friday; other weights steady; sows, 10@20 lower; good and choice, 180-270 lbs., 13.75, the top; 280-330 lbs., 11.65@12.15; medium grades, 160-220 lb. weights, 11.50@13.00; good and choice, 300-550 lb. sows, 10.60@10.85; effective today Government support price of 13.75 applied to 180-270 lb. weights, however good and choice hogs weighing under 200 lbs. very scarce; approximately 11,000 hogs unsold, largerly support weights.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 15,000; salable calves, receipts, 800; fed steers and yearlings strong to 15, mostly 10@15 higher; trade very active; heifers shared steer advance; cows, bulls and vealers very scarce, fully steady; bulk fed steers, 14.50@16.50; top 16.90, paid for light weights as well as 1437-lb. steers; next highest price 16.65; weights over 1100 lbs. in broad demand, but all grades yearlings and light steers sold freely; practical top fed heifers 16.00, but choice to prime offerings around 16.65; cutter cows, 9.25 down; heavy sausage bulls, 12.00; most fat bulls, 12.75@13.50; vealers, 16.00 down; thin Southwest stockers 12.00@14.00.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 8000; total, 14,000; market dull, bidding unevenly lower on slaughter lambs; holding good and choice, mostly good grade wooled lambs above 15.25; two loads Arizona springs also held above 15.25; good and choice fed shorn lambs No. 1 pelts held above 14.00; no action on older classes.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., May 15 (AP) (WFA).—WHITE POTATOES—Steady; 100-lb. sacks, U. S. No. 1, Maine, 3.00@3.25.

EGGS—Steady; Federal-State grading stations: Whites and browns: U. S. grade A, large, 32; U. S. grade A, medium, 28; U. S. grade A, small, 25; U. S. grade C, large, 30; U. S. grade C, 27; nearby ungraded eggs current receipts, whites and mixed colors, 56 lbs. and under, 25@26, mostly 26; 57-60 lbs., 28; pullet eggs, 22@25.

LIVE POULTRY—Firm; broilers, fryers and roasters, 30½; fowl, colored, 25@26; Leghorns, 22@23; old roosters, 16@17.

HOGS—On account of another concession Union Stockyards advise holding back hogs, until further notice over the radio and the newspapers.

CATTLE—Market steady to strong; good steers active to strong, the bulk of strictly good slaughter offerings, 15.00@15.50, few choice higher; medium to good sell mostly 13.50@14.50; good offerings of cows selling from 9.00@10.00; medium to good, 8.00@9.00; common, 6.00@7.00; canners, 5.00@6.00; butcher bulls, 10.00@11.00; sausage bulls, 9.00@10.00; vealers, 15.50@15.75.

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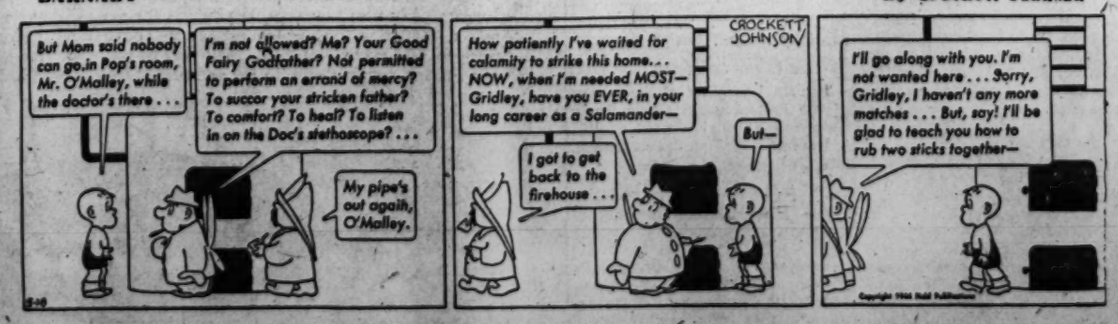
BARNABY
By Crockett Johnson
But Mom said nobody can go in Pop's room, Mr. O'Malley, while the doctor's there . . .
I'm not allowed? Me? Your Good Fairy Godfather? Not permitted to perform an errand of mercy? To succor your stricken father? To comfort? To heal? To listen in on the Doc's stethoscope? . . .
My pipe's out again, O'Malley.
How patiently I've waited for calamity to strike this home. . . NOW, when I'm needed MOST—Gridley, have you EVER, in your long career as a Salamander—
CROCKETT JOHNSON
I got to get back to the firehouse . . .
But—
I'll go along with you. I'm not wanted here . . . Sorry, Gridley, I haven't any more matches . . . But, say! I'll be glad to teach you how to rub two sticks together—

Scottish Rite Masons Meet in Alexandria

Hearing Waived

Fairfax Man Posts Bond In Still Case

George Edward Wood of Fairfax County is out on $1000 bond pending his appearance in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia to face charges of having in his possession illegal distilling apparatus and distilled spirits on which Government taxes had not been paid.

Wood, whose address is RFD No. 1, Alexandria, waived a hearing before the United States commissioner for the district, Stanley King, on Saturday and posted bond. He was arrested in Prince William County Friday by agents of the Alcoholic Tax Unit of the Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Virginia Alcoholic Beverage Control Board who reported he was operating a still and had on hand quantities of mash in addition to distilled spirits.

His case is scheduled for the opening of the coming term of the court in Alexandria, June 5.

120 Are Degree Candidates at Annual Reunion

Alexandria Bureau of The Post, 110 North St. Asaph St. TE. 6536.

The annual spring reunion of Scottish Rite Masons from northern Virginia and the Valley of Virginia opened last night at the George Washington National Masonic Memorial on Shooter's Hill in Alexandria.

Roger C. Sullivan, city treasurer of Alexandria and member of the host lodge, Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, is chairman of the program extending over six days through the month with meetings continuing tonight, May 22, 23 and 24 at the national memorial, ending with a reception May 29 at Gadsby's Tavern.

The group of 120 candidates for degrees from the 4th to the 32d has been named the Leonard J. Miller Memorial Class in honor of the late Scottish Rite leader in Alexandria who died two years ago. As one of the largest classes of blue lodge Masons in the history of the rite in Alexandria, the members will be awarded degrees from the 4th to the 32d.

Dr. William Meyer of Herndon, Va., is being awarded a pair of double eagle book ends designed by Thomas Fately and made by Clyde Campbell Lamond, jr., members of the lodge, for obtaining 68 petitions fro mprospective candidates, the greatest number submitted by any member.

Reunion representatives from Fairfax, Arlington, Clarendon, Cherrydale, Herndon, Winchester, Warrenton, Front Royal and other locations registered last night at 6:30 in the north room of the memorial. At 8 p. m. the fourth and sixth degrees were awarded to candidates.

Tonight the members will attend a supper at Shuman's at 6:30 and at 8 p. m. the twelfth and fourteenth degrees will be conferred.

For the balance of the reunion later in the month the program will open with supper at Sruman's at 6:30 on May 22, 23 and 24, followed by the conferring of the eighteenth, twentieth, thirtieth and thirty-second degrees.

The reception on May 29 at 8 p. m. at Gadsby's Tavern in honor of the class will include a dance and will be open to all Scottish Rite Masons and their wives or partners.

Sailor to Give Brownies Flag At Greenbelt

The Girl Scout Brownies of Greenbelt Troop 35, will receive an American flag, the gift of Hilbert O. Kurth of Greenbelt, seaman first class, during the investitre ceremony to be held tomorrow at 8:15 p. m. in the social room of the Elementary School building.

Miss Jane McCay, executive secretary of the Prince Georges County commissioner, will present awards and certificates and Mrs. Shirley R. Levine, troop leader, and the assistant leader, Mrs. Helen Kurth, will preside over the investiture ceremony.

The color guards will be Louise Karlsen, Arleen McIntyre and Patricia Parker and the Brownie flag color guards will be Joy Holmes, Judy Lockard and Patsy Dunbar.

The Brownies who will participate in the candle ceremony will be Nancy Kurth, Kathryn Hunter, Margot Kennedy, Gwendolyn Coker and Barbara Bailey. The glee club will sing and dramatize "Molly," and those taking part will be Patricia Beery, Barbara Dickhaut, Lois Dirschel, Lorraine Lewis, Dorothy Dawson, Nancy Snyder, Joy Holmes, Arleen McIntyre, Patricia Parker and Marie Zounak.

Piano solos will be presented by Louise Karlsen, Patsy Dunbar and Patricia Parker, and Miss Dawson will give a report on the Brownie service work.

The refreshment committee consists of Mrs. Jasper Dawson, Mrs. Walter R. Dickhaut, Mrs. John M. Holmes, Mrs. E. H. Hunter, Mrs. Frithjof Karlsen, Mrs. R. W. Parker and Mrs. Charles J. Zounek.

Pets and Plants Boarded

The Greenbelt Child Care Center, with an enrollment of 42 children, will next take on the task of boarding pets and plants for Greenbelt residents on vacation, Mrs. Russell Anderberg, the director, announces. Not only will the local presidents be assisted by this offer but the boarders will afford pleasure for the children, Mrs. Anderberg believes.

The older children at the center have a vegetable garden as well as new doll carriages, a Noah's Ark, miniature village equipment and a new metal wagon.

Mrs. Eleanor McCauley has been added to the dietry staff and Mrs. Virginia Hughes is on vacation. Mrs. Alice Smith is substituting as a teacher for Mrs. Lois Owan. Three high school girls who are working at the center afternoons are Joan Webster, Shirley Robie and Irene Lee, while Brice Webster, also a high school student, has been signed up as the center handyman.

The next meeting of the parents' board of the nursery school will be held May 19 when Mrs. Mary Jane Kinzer will speak on sex education for children.

Furnishing Dayrooms

The Red Cross camp and hospital committee is seeking articles to furnish recreation and dayrooms for the servicemen. Mrs. Daniel J. Nff of 3-D Ridge rd. is accepting the donations in Greenbelt.

Among the articles needed are furniture, garden tools, radios, victrolas, books, kitchen utensils, games, plants and flowers, costumes, wire coat hangers and waste baskets.

Softball Manager Named

Al Bowman has been appointed manager of the Greenbelt Reps softball team by Town Manager James T. Gobbel and he will succeed Ben Goldfaden who enlisted in the Navy a few weeks ago.

Bowman has been active in Greenbelt sports for the past six years and just retired as president of the athletic club. He is a tennis and softball player and has been umpiring the local baseball games.

George Norris

Funeral services for George Norris, 75, retired farmer and lifelong resident of Montgomery County, Md., who died at his home at Alta Vista Sunday night, will be held at 2:30 p. m. today at the funeral home of W. Reuben Pumphrey, Bethesda. The Rev. Claude A. Brubaker, pastor of Mount ion Baptist Church, near Alta Vista, will officiate and burial will be in Mount Zion Cemetery.

Mr. Norris was unmarried. He is survived by a sister, Miss Emma Norris, Alta Vista. He was long a member of Mount Zion Baptist Church and was a trustee of the Mount Zion Cemetery Association.

Child Injured by Car

A 3-year-old Alexandria girl, Mary Elizabeth Lee of 203 Cameron st., is in Alexandroia Hospital suffering from a broken left leg and numerous cuts and bruises as a result of an accident yesterday at 10 a. m., when she was struck by an automobile at the intersection of Prince and Fairfax sts.

Police said no charges were zrought against the driver. The said she was Mrs. Noble of 915 South Washington st., and that she rushed the child to the hospital.

The child's grandmother, Mrs. C. B. Toner of the Cameron st. address, told police, they said, that the child broke away as they were crossing the intersection, and that Mrs. Noble was not to blame for the accident. An investigation was made by Officer G. W. Tothill of the Alexandria police.

Hospital Conference

The Alexandria Hospital will be represented by three members of the staff at the Carolinas-Virginias Hospital Conference in Aasheville, N. C., Wednesday and Thursday in which hospital leaders from North and South Carolina, Virginia and West Virginia will take part.

Leaving Alexandria today for the meeting are: Robert G. Whitton, hospital administrator! Miss Louise Crute, assistant superintendent of nurses; and Miss Nellie Jones, night supervisor.

Whitton will be prepared to discuss the present expansion of the Alexandria Hospital which is being marked by the addition of an administrative east wing and a north wing with four floors providing additional operating rooms, a nursery and an extra 75 beds.

Ball Hits Fan on Head

Although he was nearly knocked out by a baseball in Griffith Stadium yesterday afternoon, Robert E. Butler, 29, of 9316 Ocala st., Silver Spring, did not let that keep him from seeing the rest of the double-header.

Butler was rushed to Garfield Hospital after a baseball struck him on the head as he was seated in a box behind first base. Doctors there treated him for a possible concussion and released him.

Vienna Masons Will Be Hosts To Virginia Grand Master

Arlington-Fairfax Bureau of The Post, Arlington, Va. Tel. CH. 3230.

Concord Lodge, No. 307, A. F. & A. M., of Vienna, will have as its guest tonight at 8 at the Masonic Hall, Viena, the John M. Stewart, grand master of Masons in Virginia.

A number of visitors from lodges of District 54 are expected to attend, and the degree team of Columbia Lodge, No. 285, of Arlington, will confer the Fellow Craft degree on two candidates. District 54 is composed of Columbia Lodge, Cherrydale Lolge, No. 42 also of Arlington, and Sharon Lodge, No. 327, McLean, in addition to Concord Lodge.

P-TA Installs Officers

Mrs. Robert A. Osborn, retiring president of the Fairfax County Federation of Parent-Teacher Associations and School Leagues, installed the following new officers at the final meeting of the season of the Falls Church Parent-Teacher Association: President, Mrs. Mark Regan; first vice president, Malcolm Smith; second vice president, Mrs. L. H. Rhodes; treasurer, Mrs. J. Hugh Rose; recording secretary, Mrs. P. H. Trask, and corresponding secretary, Alva Rees.

Postwar Discussion

Neal Potter, guest speaker at the meeting tonight at 8 of the Masonville Pioneer Grange in the Grange Hall on Annandale rd., will discuss "Federal Union in the Postwar World." Mr. Potter's talk will be followed by a discussion and question period. The public is cordially invited.

Music Club to Meet

The final meeting of the season of the Falls Church Music Study Club will be held tonight at 8:15 at the home of Mrs. James Brown, East Falls Church.

Luncheon Meeting Today

The May luncheon meeting of the King's Daughters will be held today at 12:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. H. D. Willis, West Falls Church. Following the business meeting the afternoon will be devoted to Red Cross sewing.

Life's Darkest Moment

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Not the Guild's Guilt!

Hollywood, Cal., May 15.—Hollywood didn't sign John Raitt, who's now singing in "Oklahoma" in Chicago, so Theater Guild grabbed him for five more years, and will star him in a musical version of "Liliom." Now Hollywood wants him back . . . Shirley Temple may be a student at Dana hall outside Boston next fall. . . .

IDA LUPINO

The wolves are howling in vain outside Jean Sullivan's door. Her heart throb is Lt. Joe Greenceback, who's in Italy. On his return they'll marry. . . . Ida Lupino is helping her sister, Rita, over the shakes as she's tested for "The Corn Is Green" with Bette Davis. . . . It's not true that Van Heflin is out of the army. . . . Helen Forrest, back in town, will be godmother to the Dick Haymes' new baby. . . . Donald Crisp is writing the foreword to Anna Lee's book about her overseas trip.

Difference of Opinion

Darryl Zanuck won't pay enormous prices asked for Broadway plays, yet Joe Schenck, when he returned from New York, claimed his company might buy "Voice of the Turtle." That has the highest price tag ever asked for stage property. . . . Betty Grable and Harry James have no idea how the silly rumor of their separation started. . . . Mary Pickford and Buddy Rogers are off to Mexico to spend Buddy's ten day leave. . . . Dorothy Di Frasso is returning to her home in Acapulco, Mexico. Dorothy, who collects jewels as actors do press notices, returns with a beautiful pigeon-blood ruby ring given her by her old friend, Ida Newhouse. Last time she was here Barbara and Cary Grant gave her a diamond because she introduced them. . . . Nice that Yvette is getting what she deserves here—radio and pictures all over the place. All she needed was an opportunity. . . . General Eisenhower is to be congratulated. Maj. George Stevens has been added to his staff to photograph the invasion.

Where Most Useful?

Capt. Clark Gable is off to Washington to deliver "Combat America," the picture he took abroad, which he and Lt. John Lee Mahin have been putting together. Clark is ready for his next assignment. I hope army heads will see fit to give him back to the movies. He's done a fine job, he's over age, and I believe more useful for pictures, bond drives, and war propaganda than he would be flying over Germany today. . . . If Paramount gives Hal Wallis the kind of deal he wants [which is sharing the profits of his pictures] it will create hard feelings over there. Sure, De Mille's had that kind of deal for ages. But he's made a fortune for them, and himself. . . . Cobina Wright attended Mrs. Green Walker's cocktail party accompanied by two generals, after which they dined. During dinner her car was stolen. . . . Dawn Kennedy, former messenger girls at RKO is going places. She ad libs with the best of them. When I asked how she learned, she replied, "A messenger girl gets around and has to answer everybody's silly questions."

Philatelists to Meet

Members of Congress who are stamp collectors have been invited to attend a joint meeting of the Washington Air Mail Society, the Collectors Club, Branch 5, Society of Philatelic Americans, and the Capital Precancel Club tomorrow evening at the Thomson School, corner of 12th and L sts. nw. There will be exhibitions and a program fitting the occasion.

Habeas Corpus Is Sought in Bigamy Case

When sessions of the May term of the Alexandria Corporation Court are resumed today, Judge William P. Woolls will hear the application of Frank Dewar of Washington, 35, former first class photographer's mate in the Navy, for a writ of habeas corpus on the ground that he had not waived an indictment before trial for bigamy last October.

He began serving a thre-year sentence in December for violation of terms of his probation which required that he was not to see the 20 year old daughter of a Navy captain he had married before his California divorce from a previous wife became final.

Dewar's application may be heard in the judge's chambers at 10 a. m. as a session of the Sixteenth Judicial Circuit Court for Fairfax and Prince William Counties and Alexandria City is scheduled the same day in the Alexandria Corporation Court room. Judge Paul E. Brown of Fairfax is to preside at hearings in four divorce cases.

On Friday five criminal cases will be tried in the Corporation Court, three before Judge Woolls without a jury, and two to be tried by a jury. The latter two, both appeals from sentence in the Alexandria Civil and Police Court, are as follows:

Eli Irving Benfield, 47, charged with grand larceny March 28 at the home of Mrs. Jack Cogar, 120 South Fairfax st., where he was a boarder, and Richard Keith, charged with maintaining a common nuisance.

On Wednesday, May 24, Judge Woolls will hear three cases which have been appealed from the civil and police court.

Jewish Group to Meet

Congressman Emanuel Celler (D., N. Y.), will speak at 2 p. m. tomorrow at a meeting of the Washington Chapter of Hadassah at the Jewish Community Center, 16th and Q sts. nw.

Back From Combat In the Pacific

LIEUT. RICHARD ROACH, son of the late Prof. Charles E. Roach of Georgetown University and Mrs. Roach of 301 Montgomery st., Chevy Chase, Md., who is home on furlough after 2½ years of combat in the South Pacific. Winner of two Presidential citations, Lieutenant Roach says war is grim, but at times it can be a lot of fun

Sailor Dies, 4 Others Injured in Md. Crash

Millersville, Md., May 15 (AP).—A 20-year-old Baltimore sailor was killed and four other Navy men were injured today in an automobile-truck collision on the Crain hwy. near Millersville.

Killed was Richard J. Pavese, who, along with the others, was on his way back to the Patuxent Naval Air Base at Cedar Point, Md. Those injured, all taken to the South Baltimore General Hospital, were Michael Cohnen, 23, New York; Calvin Schutz, 19, Baltimore; George Waddichs, 22, Baltimore, and Zeno Fisher, 21, Baltimore.

Charter Committee Opens Headquarters in Montgomery

Campaign headquarters of the Montgomery County Charter Committee have been established in the Housing Guild Building, 7240 Wisconsin ave., Bethesda, according to Allen H. Gardner, president of the committee.

The offices will be open from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. daily with a staff under the supervision of a full time executive director, Gardner said. It will be equipped to serve as an pertaining to the charter.

A pamphlet is being printed with information center on all maters a complete draft of the charter, which is to be voted on by the county residents in the general elections this fall.

The committee also is compiling library material on the charter movement, both in Montgomery and other localities, to be used in conjunction with the educational campaign during the summer. The material will be available to the public.

In announcing establishment of the headquarters, Gardner said, "The charter was prepared, pursuant to the 1942 mandate of the voters, by five outstanding county citizens, who in 1942 were elected on a nonpartisan ticket to draft a charter which would give the county home rule.

"We who live in Montgomery want to decide purely county matters ourselves and not be ruled from Annapolis. Most of all, we want our home rule to be truly representative, reflecting the will of the majority of citizens rather than the decisions of some unelected political boss. We believe we can have such a representative home rule under this charter."

Mrs. Ella L. Weedon

Funeral services for Mrs. Ella Lipscomb Weedon, mother of two Washington residents, will be held tomorrow at 3:30 p. m. in the Manassas Cemetery.

Mrs. Weedon died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Alexander Bauhan, Maplewood, N. J., where she lived. She would have been 79 years old today.

The daughter of the late Judge William E. Lipscomb of Manassas, Mrs. Weedon was a member of a prominent Prince William County family.

In addition to Mrs. Bauhan, she is survived by two sons, Lieut. Col. Sidney L. Weedon of this city, and Maj. Hugh H. Weedon, jr., of New York, N. Y., and by another daughter, Mrs. John E. Chase of Washington.

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2 Nazi Planes Collide Trying to Elude Yanks

U. S. Mustang Fighter Base in Britain, May 15 (AP).—Lieut. Col. Gerald Dix of Sullivan, Ind., and Lieut. Ray Morris, Birmingham, Ala., have found a new way of destroying German planes. They run them into each other.

Dix and Morris gave chase to the planes almost simultaneously. As they closed in, the German pilots made a frantic effort to get away and broke sharply. They broke in the same direction, collided and both planes exploded. Dix and Morris each shot down one other plane Saturday.

Death Held Accidental

A certificat of accidental suffocation was issued by Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald yesterday in the death of Darlene E. Clark, 3-month-old daughter of Boatswain Second Class Andrew Clark and Mrs. Clark of 516 8th st. ne. The child was found dead in her crib early Sunday morning by her mother, police said. The father is stationed with a Seabee unit at Solomons, Md.

Poolesville Pilot Wins Medal; Commander 'Proud' of Him

"I'm sure you are proud of your son—we are." That was the postscript written by Brigadier General E. R. Quesada, U. S. A. commanding officer of the Ninth Air Support Command to a letter he wrote to Mrs. Edna Efl Hersberger, Poolesville, Md., informing her that her son, "Hersh"— First Lieutenant Norman Davis Hersberger, U. S. A. A. F., 25, has been presented the Air Medal.

HERSBERGER

A fighter pilot of a P-47 young "Hersh", as he is known to his buddiess, enlisted shortly after Pearl Harbor but was denied admission to flying school because he was not a citizen. After receiving the necessary citizenship papers "Hersh" entered the flying cadet school at Greenville, Miss. He has been overseas since December.

Airplanes and making models have been a hobby of "Hersh" since he was a tot. Now his dream to fly has come true with a double purpose—to figh. his country's enemy and make his family proud of his ambition.

Before entering the service, "Hersh," a graduate of Poolesville High School, worked as a stock clerk in Reed Bros., Rockville, Md. He is the youngest of four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Marhhall Hershberger and a brother, Tech. Sergt. Horace E. Hershberger, is stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala.

The letter from Brigadier General Quesada to Mrs. Hershberger reads as follows:

"I have just had the honor of presenting the Air Medal to your son, "Hersh." He received this decoration for meritorious achievement while participating in missions over enemy territory. In all those missions, "Hersh" displayed courage and skill which reflected high credit upon himself and the armed forces of his country. I take a great deal of pleasure in notifying you personally of his success and to congratulate you, his mother, upon having such a fine son, who is doing so much for his country." The postscript, "I'm sure proud of your son—we are," was written in longhand by General Quesada.

Hospital Site Needed

First meeting of the site committee of the newly organized Silver Spring, Md., Hospital Association, will be held tonight at the home of the chairman, John J. Dolan, 1430 Highland dr., Woodside Park.

The committee will study and make surveys of feasible sites for the proposed hospital within the Silver Spring area before making its recommendations to the board of trustees.

Serving on the committee besides Dolan, are Charles W. Hopkins, Mrs. Ruby Etty, Arthur L. Blakeslee, William M. Wright, Hugh L. Buckingham and Fenton R. Gruver.

Tydings to Speak

Senator Millard E. Tydings (D., Md.) will speak on "Postwar Problems, National and International" tomorrow night at a dinner meeting of the Silver Spring (Md.) Board of Trade at the Indian Spring Country Club, Colesville rd., at 7 o'clock.

Members of the Bethesda (Md.) Chamber of Commerce, the Takoma Park Chamber, the Silver Spring Lions Club and Silver Spring Rotary Club will be guests, John R. Fagan, president, announced.

Pupils Registering

Registration for children entering St. Michael's Catholic School, Silver Spring, Md., in September are being held every day this week from 9 a. m. until noon at the school on Wayne ave., it was announced yesterday.

Suitcases Stolen

Five suitcases, containing ladies' apparel reportedly worth $200, were taken from the car of Harry Gordon, of 2801 15th st. nw., early yesterday, police reported. Gordon told police the car was parked in the 500 block of Eighth st. nw., when thieves gained entrance by breaking a right ventilator window.

Defendants in Mann Act Case Acquitted on Vacation Plea

By the Associated Press

An employer of prostitutes who took them on a vacation trip across State lines was absolved by the Supreme Court yesterday of violation of the White Slave Act.

Justice Murphy delivered the court's 5-4 opinion. Chief Justice Stone and Justices Black, Reed and Douglas dissented.

"Our examination of the record in this case," Murphy's majority said, "convinces us that there was a complete lack of relevant evidence from which the jury could properly find of infer, beyond a reasonable doubt, that petitioners (the employers) transported the girls in inter-State commerce 'for the purpose of prostitution or debauchery' within the meaning of the Mann Act."

Object of Return Trip

Chief Justice Stone in the disord is without evidence that they senting opinion said that "the recengaged, or intended to engage in any other activities in Nebraska, or that anything other than the practice of their profession was the object of their return."

The Justice Department contended that although no improper acts occurred on the vacation, the return portion of the tripfrom Salt Lake City to the "Nifty Rooms" lodging house in Grand Island, Nebr.—had as a purpose that the girls resume immoral activities in the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Pete Mortensen, operators of "Nifty Rooms," appetaled their conviction and sentences of three years' imprisonment. Hans Mortensen also was fined $500.

Girls' Thoughts Not Mortensens

Their attorney, who said no purpose was expressed on the trip to commit immoral acts after return to Nebraska, stated that no testimony was produced to show why the group returned, and contended "you can't charge to the Mortensens the thing that was in the minds of the prostitutes."

While at "Nifty Rooms" the girls paid the Mortensens for their room and board and also paid them half of their proceeds, the Justice Department told the court.

Arlington Blood Unit Meets Today

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The mobile blood donor unit of the Arlington Red Cross will meet in the administration building at Fort Myer, beginning today through Friday, inclusive.

Mrs. Cecil Guertler, 306 North Irving st., joined the Gallon Club on last Thursday when she made her eighth donation at the Clarendon Baptist Church session of the Arlington Red Cross blood donor unit. Mrs. Guertler's husband, a lieutenant in the USNR, is now stationed in Panama.

Victory Gardens Club

J. Morton Franklin, director of Washington Victory Gardens, will discuss "Care of Victory Gardens" at the luncheon meeting of the Ashton Heights Woman's Club at noon today at the home of Mrs. C. Nelson Bean, 202 North Irving st. Mrs. Bean will be assisted by Mrs. F. R. Mitchell and Mrs. V. F. McDonald.

Woodlawn Home Group

Election of officers will feature the final meeting of the season of the Woodlawn Home and School Association tonight at 8 in the school auditorium.

Benefit Card Party

The Blessed Virgin Sodality of St. Agnes Catholic Church, Cherrydale, will sponsor a benefit card party tonight at 9 o'clock in the church auditorium. The Misses Dorothy Hefferty and Ardeth Simon are in charge of arrangements.

Russia Joins Drive to Stop Swedish Bearing Flow to Axis

Russia has joined the United States and Great Britain in diplomatic efforts to have Sweden stop exporting ball bearings in German, it was disclosed yesterday.

Meanwhile in Washington William L. Batt, vice chairman of the War Production Board and president of S. K. F. Industries, Inc., Swedish-owned ball bearing plant, disclosed he intends to speak at the Philadelphia plants tomorrow.

Batt's trip, it is understood, is for morale-building purposes. Reports that the Philadelphia company is under investigation by the Alien Property Custodian and the Foreign Funds division of the Treasury Department, are said to have affected the morale of S. K. F.'s 8000 workers, many of whom are new.

It is expected that Batt will explain in the three speeches he will make in the different plants that all ball bearings produced in the United States are used in the Allied war effort.

Exports to Latin America are made under a license, and are permitted by the U. S. Government as part of the Good Neighbor policy.

It is anticipated that Batt also will explain that dividends which are sent to Sweden go only with permission of the U. S. Treasury.

James E. Markham, Alien Property Custodian, also took steps yesterday to dispel rumors that ball bearings for Nazi use are being manufactured at Philadelphia.

He said the Foreign Funds division of Treasury and the Alien Property Custodian have been investigating SKF, but added:

"No inferences are to be drawn that our investigation reflects on the employes or the management of SKF Industries, Inc., of Philadelphia."

Markham said no decision had been reached as to whether or not the Alien Property Custodian would take over the plant, but said a decision would be reached soon.

Start Buying Drive

While the United States, Great Britain and Russia are putting all the diplomatic pressure possible upon Sweden, this country also is trying to stop the flow of ball bearings to the Nazis by buying up all available supplies.

This move is being directed by Stanton Griffis, special representative of the Foreign Economic Administration, who is in Stockholm, reportedly with full authority to buy the entire output of the Swedish S. K. F.

The Associated Press reported from Stockholm that Griffis declined to comment either on the progres sof his negotiations or on Washington statements that he is authorize dto spend upward of $30,000,000 in preclusive buying.

Three State's Taxes Upheld By High Court

By the Associated Press

The Supreme Court upheld three state taxes in decisions on disrupted levies yesterday and in a fourth opinion sustained the Supreme Court of another state in finding out-of-state firms were not liable for payment of a sales tax.

Justice Frankfurter wrote three of the tax opinions and Justice Douglas the fourth. To each decision there were dissents by from one to four members of the court. Justices Rutledge, Jackson and Roberts each dissented in two of the court's opinions.

Justice Frankfurter wrote opinions: Holding 5-4 a company outside of Arkansas need not pay that state's two per cent sales tax on orders which traveling salesmen take in Arkansas; upholding 5-4 a personal property tax imposed by Minnesota against the planes operated by Northwest Airlines; finding constitutional by a 7-2 vote a two per cent levy by Iowa on property purchased for use in that state.

Justice Douglas, a dissenter in the Arkansas case, wrote the court's majority opinion 7-1 denying International Harvester Company of Chicago the right to recover gros sincome taxes collected by Indiana.

Among yesterday's actions, the court:

Agreed to review the conviction of Gerhard Wilhelm Kunze, former national leader of the German-American Bund, and 23 other officials of the organization on charges of conspiring to advise evasion and resistance to the Selective Service Act.

Divided 5-4 to set aside a decision by a lower tribunal which declared a patent held by the Hartford-Empire Company, Hartford, Conn.

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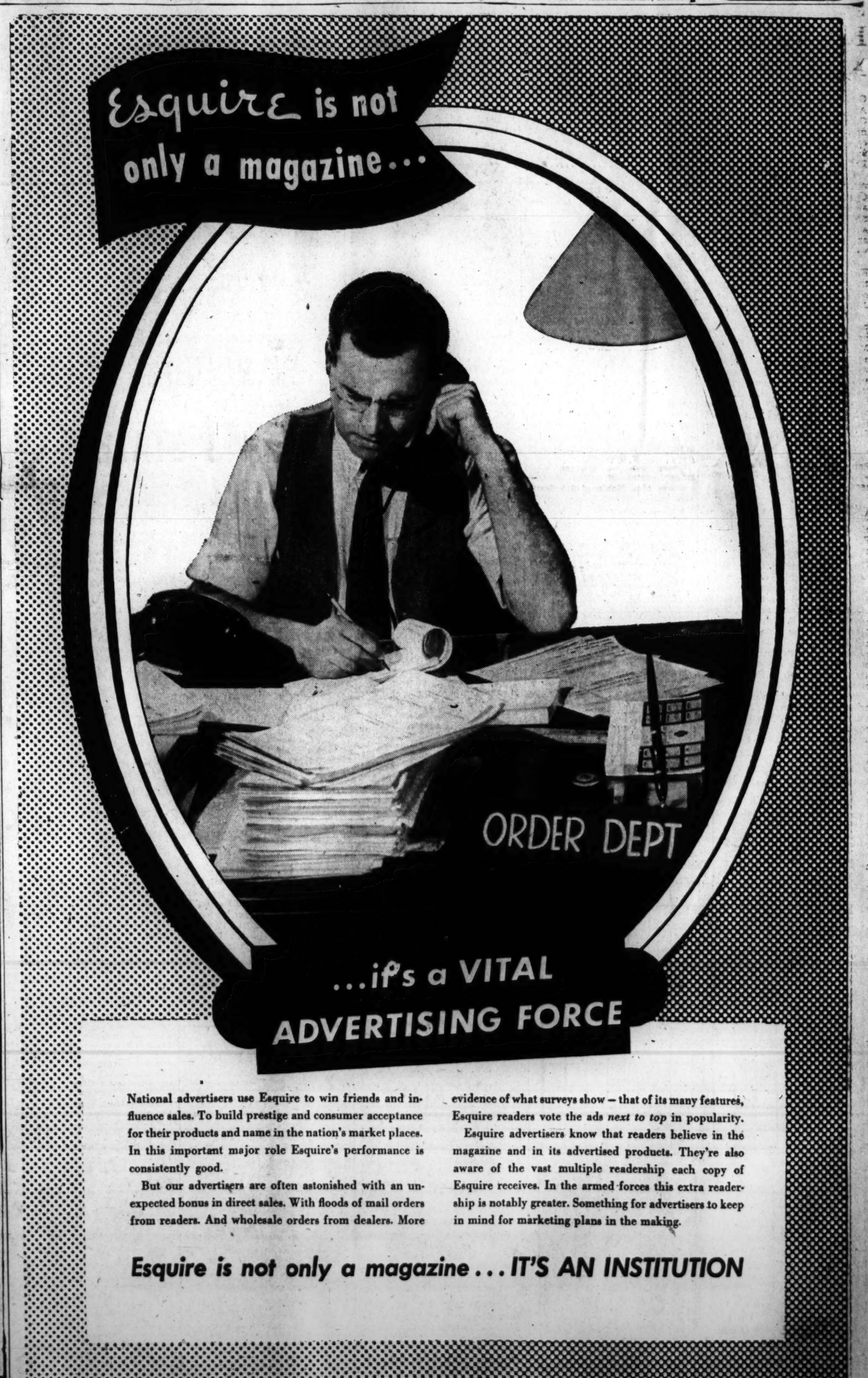

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Holman, Repjublican, for, and Willis, Republican, and Murray, Democrat, against; Andrews, Democrat, for, and Thomas (Okla) and Truman, Democrats, against.

Not recorded but announced as favoring the petition were Clark (Idaho), Democrat, and Johnson (Calif.), Repblican.

2 Nazi Planes Collide Trying to Elude Yanks

U. S. Mustang Fighter Base in Britain, May 15 (AP).—Lieut. Col. Gerald Dix of Sullivan, Ind., and Lieut. Ray Morris, Birmingham, Ala., have found a new way of destroying German planes. They run them into each other.

Dix and Morris gave chase to the planes almost simultaneously. As they closed in, the German pilots made a frantic effort to get away and broke sharply. They broke in the same direction, collided and both planes exploded. Dix and Morris each shot down one other plane Saturday.

Death Held Accidental

A certificat of accidental suffocation was issued by Coroner A. Magruder MacDonald yesterday in the death of Darlene E. Clark, 3-month-old daughter of Boatswain Second Class Andrew Clark and Mrs. Clark of 516 8th st. ne. The child was found dead in her crib early Sunday morning by her mother, police said. The father is stationed with a Seabee unit at Solomons, Md.

Poolesville Pilot Wins Medal; Commander 'Proud' of Him

"I'm sure you are proud of your son—we are." That was the postscript written by Brigadier General E. R. Quesada, U. S. A. commanding officer of the Ninth Air Support Command to a letter he wrote to Mrs. Edna Efi Hersberger, Poolesville, Md., informing her that her son, "Hersh"— First Lieutenant Norman Davis Hersberger, U. S. A. A. F., 25, has been presented the Air Medal.

HERSBERGER

A fighter pilot of a P-47 young "Hersh", as he is known to his buddiess, enlisted shortly after Pearl Harbor but was denied admission to flying school because he was not a citizen. After receiving the necessary citizenship papers "Hersh" entered the flying cadet school at Greenville, Miss. He has been overseas since December.

Airplanes and making models have been a hobby of "Hersh" since he was a tot. Now his dream to fly has come true with a double purpose—to fight his country's enemy and make his family proud of his ambition.

Before entering the service, "Hersh," a graduate of Poolesville High School, worked as a stock clerk in Reed Bros., Rockville, Md. He is the youngest of four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Marhhall Hershberger and a brother, Tech. Sergt. Horace E. Hershberger, is stationed at Fort McClellan, Ala.

The letter from Brigadier General Quesada to Mrs. Hershberger reads as follows:

"I have just had the honor of presenting the Air Medal to your son, "Hersh." He received this decoration for meritorious achievement while participating in missions over enemy territory. In all those missions, "Hersh" displayed courage and skill which reflected high credit upon himself and the armed forces of his country. I take a great deal of pleasure in notifying you personally of his success and to congratulate you, his mother, upon having such a fine son, who is doing so much for his country." The postscript, "I'm sure proud of your son—we are," was written in longhand by General Quesada.

Hospital Site Needed

First meeting of the site committee of the newly organized Silver Spring, Md., Hospital Association, will be held tonight at the home of the chairman, John J. Dolan, 1430 Highland dr., Woodside Park.

The committee will study and make surveys of feasible sites for the proposed hospital within the Silver Spring area before making its recommendations to the board of trustees.

Serving on the committee besides Dolan, are Charles W. Hopkins, Mrs. Ruby Etty, Arthur L. Blakeslee, William M. Wright, Hugh L. Buckingham and Felton R. Gruver.

Tydings to Speak

Senator Millard E. Tydings (D., Md.) will speak on "Postwar Problems, National and International" tomorrow night at a dinner meeting of the Silver Spring (Md.) Board of Trade at the Indian Spring Country Club, Colesville rd., at 7 o'clock.

Members of the Bethesda (Md.) Chamber of Commerce, the Takoma Park Chamber, the Silver Spring Lions Club and Silver Spring Rotary Club will be guests, John R. Fagan, president, announced.

Pupils Registering

Registration for children entering St. Michael's Catholic School, Silver Spring, Md., in September are being held every day this week from 9 a. m. until noon at the school on Wayne ave., it was announced yesterday.

Suitcases Stolen

Five suitcases, containing ladies' apparel reportedly worth $200, were taken from the car of Harry Gordon, of 2801 15th st. nw., early yesterday, police reported. Gordon told police the car was parked in the 500 block of Eighth st. nw., when thieves gained entrance by breaking a right ventilator window.

Defendants in Mann Act Case Acquitted on Vacation Plea

By the Associated Press

An employer of prostitutes who took them on a vacation trip across State lines was absolved by the Supreme Court yesterday of violation of the White Slave Act.

Justice Murphy delivered the court's 5-4 opinion. Chief Justice Stone and Justices Black, Reed and Douglas dissented.

"Our examination of the record in this case," Murphy's majority said, "convinces us that there was a complete lack of relevant evidence from which the jury could properly find of infer, beyond a reasonable doubt, that petitioners (the employers) transported the girls in inter-State commerce 'for the purpose of prostitution or debauchery' within the meaning of the Mann Act."

Object of Return Trip

Chief Justice Stone in the disord is without evidence that they senting opinion said that "the receengaged, or intended to engage in any other activities in Nebraska, or that anything other than the practice of their profession was the object of their return."

The Justice Department contended that although no improper acts occurred on the vacation, the return portion of the tripfrom Salt Lake City to the "Nifty Rooms" lodging house in Grand Island, Nebr.—had as a purpose that the girls resume immoral activities in the place.

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Pete Mortensen, operators of "Nifty Rooms," appetaled their conviction and sentences of three years' imprisonment. Hans Mortensen also was fined $500.

Girls' Thoughts Not Mortensens

Their attorney, who said no purpose was expressed on the trip to commit immoral acts after return to Nebraska, stated that no testimony was produced to show why the group returned, and contended "you can't charge to the Mortensens the thing that was in the minds of the prostitutes."

While at "Nifty Rooms" the girls paid the Mortensens for their room and board and also paid them half of their proceeds, the Justice Department told the court.

Arlington Blood Unit Meets Today

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The mobile blood donor unit of the Arlington Red Cross will meet in the administration building at Fort Myer, beginning today through Friday, inclusive.

Mrs. Cecil Guertler, 306 North Irving st., joined the Gallon Club on last Thursday when she made her eighth donation at the Clarendon Baptist Church session of the Arlington Red Cross blood donor unit. Mrs. Guertler's husband, a lieutenant in the USNR, is now stationed in Panama.

Victory Gardens Club

J. Morton Franklin, director of Washington Victory Gardens, will discuss "Care of Victory Gardens" at the luncheon meeting of the Ashton Heights Woman's Club at noon today at the home of Mrs. C. Nelson Bean, 202 North Irving st. Mrs. Bean will be assisted by Mrs. F. R. Mitchell and Mrs. V. F. McDonald.

Woodlawn Home Group

Election of officers will feature the final meeting of the season of the Woodlawn Home and School Association tonight at 8 in the school auditorium.

Benefit Card Party

The Blessed Virgin Sodality of St. Agnes Catholic Church, Cherrydale, will sponsor a benefit card party tonight at 9 o'clock in the church auditorium. The Misses Dorothy Hefferty and Ardeth Simon are in charge of arrangements.

Russia Joins Drive to Stop Swedish Bearing Flow to Axis

Russia has joined the United States and Great Britain in diplomatic efforts to have Sweden stop exporting ball bearings in German, it was disclosed yesterday.

Meanwhile in Washington William L. Batt, vice chairman of the War Production Board and president of S. K. F. Industries, Inc., Swedish-owned ball bearing plant, disclosed he intends to speak at the Philadelphia plants tomorrow.

Batt's trip, it is understood, is for morale-building purposes. Reports that the Philadelphia company is under investigation by the Alien Property Custodian and the Foreign Funds division of the Treasury Department, are said to have affected the morale of S. K. F.'s 8000 workers, many of whom are new.

It is expected that Batt will explain in the three speeches he will make in the different plants that all ball bearings produced in the United States are used in the Allied war effort.

Exports to Latin America are made under a license, and are permitted by the U. S. Government as part of the Good Neighbor policy.

It is anticipated that Batt also will explain that dividends which are sent to Sweden go only with permission of the U. S. Treasury.

James E. Markham, Alien Property Custodian, also took steps yesterday to dispel rumors that ball bearings for Nazi use are being manufactured at Philadelphia.

He said the Foreign Funds division of Treasury and the Alien Property Custodian have been investigating SKF, but added:

"No inferences are to be drawn that our investigation reflects on the employes or the management of SKF Industries, Inc., of Philadelphia."

Markham said no decision had been reached as to whether or not the Alien Property Custodian would take over the plant, but said a decision would be reached soon.

Start Buying Drive

While the United States, Great Britain and Russia are putting all the diplomatic pressure possible upon Sweden, this country also is trying to stop the flow of ball bearings to the Nazis by buying up all available supplies.

This move is being directed by Stanton Griffis, special representative of the Foreign Economic Administration, who is in Stockholm, reportedly with full authority to buy the entire output of the Swedish S. K. F.

The Associated Press reported from Stockholm that Griffis declined to comment either on the progres sof his negotiations or on Washington statements that he is authorize dto spend upward of $30,000,000 in preclusive buying.

Three State's Taxes Upheld By High Court

By the Associated Press

The Supreme Court upheld three state taxes in decisions on disrupted levies yesterday and in a fourth opinion sustained the Supreme Court of another state in finding out-of-state firms were not liable for payment of a sales tax.

Justice Frankfurter wrote three of the tax opinions and Justice Douglas the fourth. To each decision there were dissents by from one to four members of the court. Justices Rutledge, Jackson and Roberts each dissented in two of the court's opinions.

Justice Frankfurter wrote opinions: Holding 5-4 a company outside of Arkansas need not pay that state's two per cent sales tax on orders which traveling salesmen take in Arkansas; upholding 5-4 a personal property tax imposed by Minnesota against the planes operated by Northwest Airlines; finding constitutional by a 7-2 vote a two per cent levy by Iowa on property purchased for use in that state.

Justice Douglas, a dissenter in the Arkansas case, wrote the court's majority opinion 7-1 denying International Harvester Company of Chicago the right to recover gros sincome taxes collected by Indiana.

Among yesterday's actions, the court:

Agreed to review the conviction of Gerhard Wilhelm Kunze, former national leader of the German-American Bund, and 23 other officials of the organization on charges of conspiring to advise evasion and resistance to the Selective Service Act.

Divided 5-4 to set aside a decision by a lower tribunal which declared a patent held by the Hartford-Empire Company, Hartford, Conn.

Refuse dto review a decision that workers of the Plymouth Manufacturing Corporation, Plymouth, Ind., packing box maker, were partners of the concern and not subject to the Fair Labor Standards Act.

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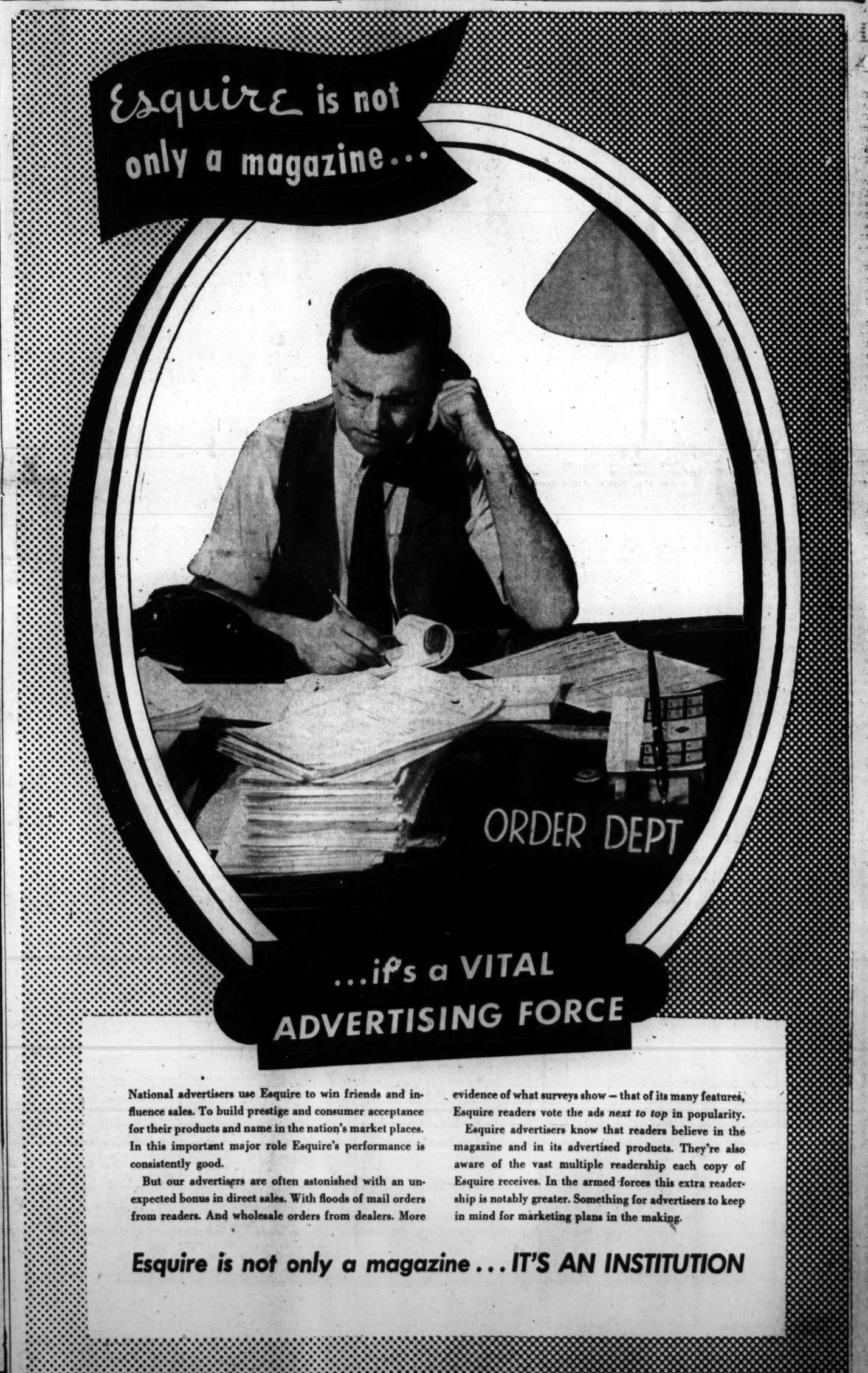

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

THERE HAS BEEN a lot of discussion inside Republican ranks about the closeness of Herbert Hoover to Tom Dewey. Some are dead against the Hoover influence, claim that the hand of Hooverism will blight both Dewey and GOP chances this year. Others are equally strong for Hoover, recalling that, even though defeated by Roosevelt, Hoover rolled up a substantial popular vote in 1932 and remains today one of the elder statesmen of the party.

But whether for or against Hoover, there is no real argument, among those who have watched the wheels go round, about the fact that Hoover has been the mainspring of the Dewey campaign.

Representative Clare Luce of Connecticut got a sample of this just before GOP leaders met recently in Chicago to organize for the Republican convention.

On the day before the organization meeting (at which Governor Warren of California was selected as the convention's keynote speaker) Mrs. Luce called Hoover on the phone. She told him that several people had suggested that she might be the keynote speaker, and she asked Hoover's advice as to whether she had a chance and what she should do about it.

"No use even bothering about it," Hoover replied, "Warren will be selected tomorrow."

He was.

NOTE — Another convention speaker selected at Chicago was Hoover himself, not without the blessing of Dewey. Hoover was put across largely through J. Russel Sprague, National Committeeman from New York, who acted as Dewey's factotum at Chicago.

Protection for Paratroopers

THANKS LARGELY to Senator Kilgore of West Virginia, the War Department is now doing its best to put self-sealing gasoline tanks in paratroop-carrying transport planes, also will supply the planes with a certain amount of armor to protect pilots.

After this column revealed that not one, but two groups of U. S. paratroopers over Sicily had been shot down by Allied gunners last July, Senator Kilgore wrote a letter to Secretary of War Stimson, pointing out that many of the paratroopers in the planes never had a chance to bail out, for some of the planes burst into flames while still in midair, due to the fact that the gasoline tanks ignited from anti-aircraft fire. Senator Kilgore pointed out that these paratroop transport planes did not have self-sealing gasoline tanks and asked Stimson to rectify this situation.

Kilgore has now received assurances that self-sealing tanks will be rushed into use on as many transport planes as possible.

There had been a dispute among air officers regarding the use of self-sealing tanks, some claiming that they could not be installed in time and that nothing must hold up the invasion. Other air officers argued, however, that U. S. airmen in England had been able to install self-sealing tanks in planes in English garages or any place else, that it was a simple matter and that the job at least should be started.

This latter group, according to assurances given to the West Virginia Senator, has now won out.

NOTE — General "Hap" Arnold, head of the Air Forces, always favored self-sealing tanks and other protection for paratroop transports, but his decision was sidetracked. Arnold also is pushing Army purchases of the quick-release type of parachute harness, the Army having now ordered more than 200,000. General Arnold himself brought up the matter of the parachute harness after reading a Washington Merry-Go-Round column. "Why," he stormed, "wasn't I told about this? Why do I have to find out about my own Air Corps from Drew Pearson?"

Pensioning John O'Connor

THERE IS A GOOD reason why Roosevelt's old enemy, former Congressman John J. O'Connor, is on the Federal payroll as the legal adviser to Tammany Congressman Martin Kennedy. If he serves long enough, he can get a New York State pension.

New York law provides that, when a public official has served twenty years for the State or Federal Government or both, he is then entitled to a pension, provided he is 55 years old. O'Connor, who is 58, entered the New York Assembly in 1921, went from there to the U. S. House of Representatives in 1923, and got in eighteen years' service for both New York and Congress before Roosevelt purged him in 1938.

Today, although practicing law in Washington, O'Connor has turned up on the payroll of Congressman Kennedy as his legal adviser. Kennedy is mysterious as to what O'Connor does, but whatever it is, he draws $2,600 for doing it. And in due time he should qualify for a New York pension.

First Lady to Speak

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is scheduled to speak in Baltimore next Sunday under the auspices of the Baltimore chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Show Time

STAGE

National—"Carmen," at 8:30 p.m.

SCREEN

Palace—"Gaslight," at 11:10 a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 7 and 9:35 p. m.

Earle—"Passage to Marseilles," at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 and 10:10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:55, 6:50 and 9:25 p. m.

Capitol—"Up in Mabel's Room," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:40 and 9:25 p. m.

Columbia—"See Here, Private Hargrove," at 11 a. m., 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"No Time for Love," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Up in Arms," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:25, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

Little—"Journey for Margaret," at 11 a. m., 1:30, 4, 6:30 and 9:05 p. m. "Seeds of Freedom," at 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 10:25 p. m.

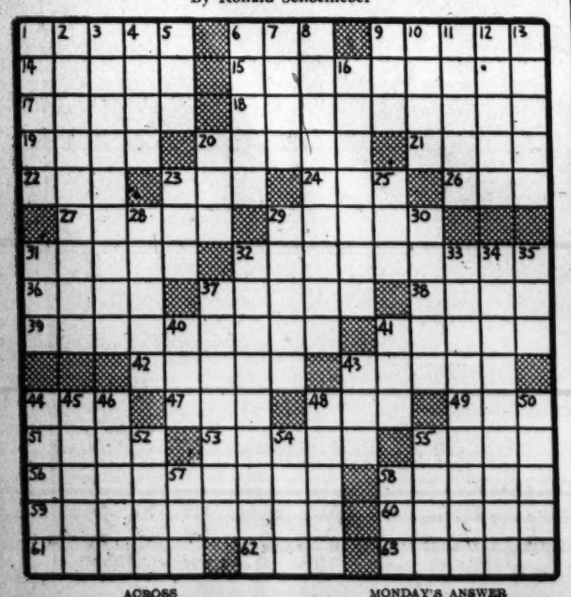
Pix—"Son of the Sheik," at 2, 4:45, 7:35 and 10:30. "Algiers," at 3:05, 6 and 8:55 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Passage to Marseilles," at 1, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15 and 9:30 p. m.

Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By Ronald Schoenleber



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20 Look of half
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22 Rice paste
23 Object
24 Draw off
26 Indian weight
27 Roomy
29 Pertaining to the weight of air
31 Pilfer
32 Pervaded
36 Ages
37 Men
38 East Indian food grop
39 Fascinates
41 Universe
42 Passageway
43 City in Florida
44 Total
47 Luzon savage
48 Stabilize
49 Emmet
51 Discoverer of Greenland
53 Two collections of Icelandic literature
55 Obligation
56 Of the lower part of a tidal river
58 Flower
59 Guerrillas
60 Bring into a row
61 Frozen rain
62 Born
63 Units of force

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2 Self-acting machine
3 Averment
4 Brain tissue
5 Before
6 Warm
7 Deadly poison
8 Game hopper (then)
9 Casual event
10 Particle of matter
11 Presages
12 Sultan's decree
13 Former President
16 Makes harmless
20 Unite
23 Entirety
25 Pastry
28 Turkish title
30 A reigning beauty
30 Billiard shot
31 Realize
32 Pertaining to knowledge
33 Waterproof canvas
34 The briar rose
35 Accomplished
37 Overpowers
40 Inlet
41 Care
43 Palm lilies
44 Oozes
45 Fur seal
46 Bishop's headdress
48 Mendacious
50 Kinds
52 Attractive: colloq.
54 European
55 Pity
57 River isle
58 Street urchin

MONDAY'S ANSWER

Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

"This is going to be a tough campaign, Senator!—We can't depend on patronage any more—nobody's needs a job these days!"

LEONARD LYONS

Broadway Gazette

New York, May 15.

SPORTS: When Joe Louis first arrived in England and was met by the news photographers, they suggested that he pose with his fists up, "as if you're coming out fighting." Joe told the cameraman: "Say, who d'you think I am—Beau Jack?" . . . Louis was taken on a tour of the London sights. He was impressed most by the statute of George Washington. "These must be real people," said the champ. "They put up a statute to the man that knocked 'em out"

MONTY WOOLLEY

POLITICS: Jimmy Hines, who is eligible for parole from Sing Sing, was given a six-minute hearing on his application before the Parole Commission on Wednesday. When Hines again protested his innocence, the commissioners told him: "We proceed on the theory that when a man is convicted, he's guilty" . . . The commissioners then decided to postpone the ruling on his application for a parole until late in November. "You mean until after Election Day, don't you?" said the ex-Tammany leader . . . "Yes, that's it," said the commissioners. "Until after Election Day."

TRAVEL DEPT.: Monty Woolley arrived in New York this week, from Saratoga. He carried a traveling bag whose contents weighed 125 pounds. The bearded screen actor could find no porter at Grand Central, and started to lug the bag himself. He realized that, carrying such a heavy load, he would be a helpless target if the autograph hunters recognized him. And so he kept his head down and followed the crowd, along the station platform, up a few steps, into an elevator, and when he finally looked up he was on the 17th floor of the Hotel Biltmore.

NIGHT CLUB NOTE: For the first time in its long history, last night a male customer of the Stork Club was permitted to sit at a table and continue to wear his hat. The customer was His Royal Highness, Prince Haroun El Raschid of Iraq. He wore a red fez, which he refused to remove from his head, explaining that it would violate his religious precepts.

LOCAL NEWS: Richard Tregaskis, author of "Guadalcanal Diary," will go to Walter Reed Hospital for an operation to have his skull wound covered with a silver plate . . . Mrs. Enrico Caruso is ailing . . . H. G. Wells wrote to Norman Cousins, editor of the Sat. Rev. of Lit., stating that he expects to live six more years and had mapped out those six years into a complete plan of living . . . All the artists who painted the War Bond posters received their pay in war bonds . . . Lieut. Pat di Cicco was ordered back to the Army hospital at Mitchel Field last week.

DRAMA DEPT.: Victor Jory, Elisabeth Bergner's leading man in "The Two Mrs. Carrolls," was one of the speaker as the Drama League's presentation of a medal to Miss Bergner . . . "For more than 300 performances," said Jory, "I've beaten her, pushed her, dropped her, shoved her, choked her and poisoned her. Look at her now—the picture of health. And I've lost 22 pounds."

RADIO DEPT.: The Fifth War Loan Drive will be launched by Orson Welles, in a one-hour broadcast over the four radio networks, on June 12. The show will emanate from Texarkana, Tex. Welles will produce the program and play the Narrator and master of ceremonies.

FASHION NOTE: Elizabeth Hawes, author of "Fashion Is Spinach," works in the educational department of the United Auto Workers. Miss Hawes visited John Frederics, the milliners, and began to try on some jam o' shanters, fancy caps and other miniature head coverings . . . John urged her to try some of his new flower-bedecked spring creations. "I can't," said Miss Hawes. "I just cannot organize union workers in Detroit in a Johns-Frederics spring creation."

BUSINESS DEPT.: Some of Damon Runyon's friends were reminiscing of his match-making prowess and of the way in which Damon induced the reluctant Ancil Hoffman to allow his charge, Max Baer, to fight Joe Louis . . . When the discussion began, Hoffman refused to sign for the fight. Runyon noticed that Baer's manager would walk to the water-cooler at half-hour intervals and apply a toothache remedy powder to his ailing jaw. Runyon therefore prolonged the discussions, while Hoffman's tooth continued to ache. After eight hours the pain-wracked manager of Max Baer finally submitted, signed and rushed to a dentist.

SCHOOL DEPT.: Celeste Holm's son is in the second grade at school. He's the youngest student in his class. "How do you get along with the other boys?" his mother asked him . . . "Oh, I get along fine with them now," the youngster assured her . . . "And until now?" Celeste asked him . . . "Oh, they'd lick me and say I was small fry," the boy replied, "but then they found out that my mother has a leading role in 'Oklahoma!'"

OPA Decision On Tobacco Still Awaited

The Office of Price Administration failed to allow an increase in the ceiling price of Maryland tobacco yesterday and kept the entire Maryland crop from the auction blocks.

John M. Hall of Upper Marlboro, spokesman for the growers, said his group was momentarily expecting a statement and it would take no further action until one was forthcoming. The sales were suspended early last week, when farmers complained the ceiling price of 52 cents a pound was too low.

OPA officials said yesterday they were waiting for recommendations from the War Food Administration and the Office of Economic Stabilization before reaching a decision. They intimated it would be made today.

Comdr. Smoot of Va. Gets Commendation

Norfolk, Va., May 15 (AP).—Commander Otho Perry Smoot, USN, of Bowling Green, Va., has been commended by the commander-in-chief, Atlantic Fleet, for his part in the successful campaign against enemy submarines and blockade runers in the South Atlantic.

Smoot was fleet aviation officer on the staff of commander, Fourth Fleet, from November 1942 until March 1944. His wife, Mrs. Phyllis L. Smoot, resides at Charlottesville.

About the Showshops

With NELSON B. BELL

THERE WERE REMINDERS of two of Washington's recent acquaintances in the Sabbath loudspeakers.

Shampooing the airwaves from the top of that "Bandwagon," Mary Martin, as guest star, followed her introductory "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," with "Les Filles de Cadiz," embroidered with the boogie-woogie variations that first brought her to the interested attention of the Hollywood producers, after having been shunned by them for months.

JANE POWELL

The reminder in that instance was of Jane Powell, the 14-year-old prima donnalet, who recently charmed the drama desks and a considerable company of others at luncheon in the Carlton with her superior rendition of the same number. Jane's singing of the coloratura aria was the better of the two—until Mary reached the swing treatment and tricky lyrics she had utilized as an open sesame to managerial preferment. That would seem to be a fairly propitious augury for the juvenile Miss Powell's future. Just give the child a little time.

From the same spot on the dial came the voice of Signe Hasso, the Netherlands nurse in Cecil B. DeMille's "The Story of Dr. Wassell," soon to be seen as a regular attraction on the screen at the Earle Theater.

At the time of the Navy League's world premiere of the picture in Constitution Hall for the $23,000 benefit of the American Red Cross, Miss Hasso was a visitor in the Capital and impressed all who met her as one of the most engaging personalities that had ever stopped by, to or from Hollywood.

Lucky Charlie

All of the charm, wit and ability of an actress of wide experience and versatility were reflected in her radio joust with Mr. Bergen and the incorrigible Master McCarthy, ostensibly just out of a San Diego jail and in desperate need of the steadying influence of a competent governess. Needless to say, Miss Hasso got the job!

Miss Hasso, on the basis of personal observation and all the evidence, could get any job.

Incidentally, the auburn-haired Hasso is not the blonde you will be seeing in "Dr. Wassell." That was done as an unnecessary aid to glamour in the eyes of the servicemen involved in the picture.

And that reminds me, although I'm not quite sure why it should. When "Let's Face It" finds its way into the National Theater, in the wake of Katharine Cornell's "Lovers and Friends," Jean Hoke's name will be on the program. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoke, Jean was born and educated in Washington, the present home of her parents. She began her career in local dance recitals and with the Washington National Ballet. Her first stage appearance was in "D. C. Melody," in 1941. Later that year she joined the Fokine Ballet in New York, toured with "The Merry Widow" and appeared in night clubs. Her last New York chore, of all things, was with the Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey Circus, in Madison Square Garden. Still looking forward to her twentieth birthday, Miss Hoke in private life is Mrs. George Herdon—all 98 pounds of her, green eyes, honey-colored hair and all.

On Thursday at 1:30 p. m., St. Gertrude's Guild will sponsor a special bill at Louis Bernheimer's Newton Theater, 12th and Newton sts. ne. The program will be featured by the Twentieth Century-Fox production of "The Sullivans," on the screen, and will include music by Sidney's Orchestra. Proceeds will go to St. Gertrude's School of Arts and Crafts, in Brookland.

The Penalty of Success

Comes a letter from Bill Peirce of Bing Crosby Productions, Inc., voicing as fine a mess of lamentations as ever tore your heart out. It seems that the title role of "The Great John L.". his first independent production, is causing Bing a terrific headache and practically ruining his sleep. Director Frank Tuttle is reported testing candidates for the name part 40 hours a day, instead of week. Has to be an unknown for some reason of the same kind.

Now then, what I want to know—along with The Post's Miss Hedda Hopper and numerous other informed and sagacious West Coasters—is, what's the matter with Ward Bond? The husky and abundantly capable Mr. Bond did a pretty good job on the same character with Errol Flynn in "Gentleman Jim."

Maybe THAT is what's the matter with Ward Bond, although it seems a little silly not to utilize the services of an actor who already is identified in many picturegoing minds as the John L. they are trying to find.

All of which, as Mr. Peirce and we were saying, is Mr. Crosby's headache, not ours.

The U. S. Army Motion Picture Service makes known that attendants at War Department Theaters indicated by their patronage that the following were the box-office champions for April: "Andy Hardy's Blonde Trouble," "Follow the Boys," "Buffalo Bill" and "Uncertain Glory." No comment. In my book, only one of them—the Hardy item—has been seen here, although "Buffalo Bill" is being screened for the cricks this morning.

Ted Tiller, long one of Washington's favorite comic talents, is back in town from the Broadway tryout of his new comedy, "Quicksand," to assume the leading role in Catholic University's annual musical, "Sing Out, Sweet Land." Remember him in last year's "Eddie the First?"

The-Boom-of-the-Gun Note

Never mind the straw. You look better bareheaded.

WFMD

930 Kilocycles.

TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Transradio News.
7:05 Sunrise Salute.
8:00 News of World.
8:15 Community News.
8:30 Coffee Club.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:15 American School of the Air.
9:45 Cordwood.
10:15 Piano Moods.
10:30 Open Door.
10:45 Homemakers' Forum.
11:00 Organ Melodies.
11:15 W. C. T. U.
11:30 Town Crier.
11:45 Cordwood.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 News.
12:30 Helen Trent.
12:45 Our Gal Sunday.
1:00 Familiar Hymns.
1:30 Jerry Sears Orchestra.
1:45 Three-Quarter Time.
2:00 Dixie Rogers.
2:30 The Rev. S. Kipe.
3:00 Mary Marlin.
3:15 Elizabeth Bemis—News.
3:30 Now and Forever.
3:45 This Life Is Mine.
4:00 Church of Christ.
4:15 Musical Varieties.
4:30 Burl Ives.
4:45 The Rev. William Fowler.
5:00 Fun With Dunn.
5:15 Once Upon a Time.
5:30 Sing Along.
5:45 Sports Parade.

EVENING.

6:00 Transradio News
6:15 Dude Ranch Cowhand.
6:30 Jack Smith.
6:45 Dinner Music.
7:00 Hood College.
7:15 Gertrude Flagg.
7:30 Dance Time.
8:00 Boy Scouts.
8:15 Music.
8:45 News and Sports.
9:00 Yours for Asking.
9:30 Report to the Nation
10:00 Columbia Presents Corwin.
10:30 Congress Speaks.
10:45 Guy Lombardo.
11:00 World News.
11:15 Joan Brooks, Songs.
11:30 Romance.
12:00 News; Sign Off.

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Frederick, Md.

WJEJ

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TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Early Bird.
8:00 News. Early Bird.
8:45 Family Altar.
9:00 Organ Melodies.
9:30 Modern Romances.
9:45 Bandstand.
10:00 Front Line Features.
10:15 Morning Devotions.
10:30 Shady Valley Folks.
11:00 Arthur Gaeth.
11:15 Saddle Pals.
11:45 Health Talk.
11:50 News Parade.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 Farm Extension.
12:30 U. S. Marine Band.
1:00 Ray Daly.
1:15 Jack Bench.
1:30 Lunch With Lopez.
1:45 Quiet Hour.
2:00 Cedric Foster.
2:15 Saddle Pals.
2:30 Mutual Calling.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Palmer House Orchestra.
3:30 Nashville Varieties.
3:45 Time Was.
4:00 Romantic Cycle.
4:30 Full Speed Ahead.
5:00 Tunes for Today.
5:30 America Marches On.
5:45 Superman.

EVENING.

6:00 News, Sports
6:15 The Smoothies.
6:30 Candlelight and Silver.
6:45 Adventures of Mark Twain.
7:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15 Johnson Family.
7:30 Confidentially Yours
7:45 Jose Morand Orchestra.
8:00 Organ Music.
8:30 Pick 'n' Pat.
9:00 Gabriel Heatter.
9:15 Nick Carter.
9:30 American Forum
10:15 To Be Announced.
10:30 San Quentin on the Air.
11:05 Sports Parade.
11:30 Sign Off.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

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TUESDAY

1400 Kilocycles

MORNING

7:30 Morning Clock.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Morning Devotions.
8:30 Blue Nets Correspondents.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 News.
10:30 Martinsburg Wheel.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Kellogg News
11:45 Wheel of Fortune.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Old Corrall.
12:15 Variety Melodies.
12:30 Farm and Home.
1:00 Bauhage
1:15 Radio Bible School.
1:45 Jack Little.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Ozark Ramblers.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Sea Hound
5:00 Terry and the Pirates.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong
5:45 Captain Midnight.

EVENING

6:00 Don't You Believe It.
6:15 Manhunt.
6:30 Reveries.
6:45 Henry Taylor, News.
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:15 Modern Romances.
7:30 Concert Hall.
8:00 News.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 Duffy's.
9:00 Famous Jury Trials.
9:30 Spotlight Band
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Miracles and Melodies.

WINCHESTER, VIRGINIA.

WCHV

1,480 Kilocycles.

TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Musical Clock.
7:25 News.
7:30 Musical Clock.
8:00 Martin Agronsky.
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:30 The Pilgrim Hour.
8:45 Lucky Lady.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 True Story.
10:45 Music for You.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 News Summary
11:45 Texas Rangers.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 News.
12:05 Noontime Date.
12:15 Town Crier.
12:25 Today's Movie Guide.
12:30 National Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 News—Bauhage.
1:15 Music of the Masters.
1:45 Little Jack Little.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Mystery Chef
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Ozark Ramblers.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Five O'Clock Club.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Tiny Rhythm Roundup.

EVENING.

6:00 Terry and Pirates.
6:15 Song Parade
6:30 Go to Work Talk.
6:45 Sports
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:30 Symphonette.
8:00 Paul Neilson, News.
8:15 Lum n' Abner.
8:30 Duffy's.
9:00 Charlottesville Hit Parade.
9:30 Spotlight Bands
9:55 Sports
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Music.
10:30 Creeps in the Night.
11:00 Music You Want
11:30 Berge of Koussevitsky Testimonial.
12:00 Sign Off

VIRGINIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM.
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.

WSVA

550 Kilocycles.

TUESDAY

MORNING.

6:00 Rev. Maiden.
6:15 Hill-Billy Music.
6:30 Band Stand.
6:45 News and Markets.
7:00 Curley Joe
7:15 Trading Post.
7:30 News.
7:45 Joe Johnson.
8:00 Screwys Showcase.
8:15 Smiles.
8:30 Campfire Roundup.
9:00 Kitchen Profile.
9:45 News.
10:00 Quality Music.
10:15 Government Show.
10:30 Doublin' in Ivory.
10:45 Woman's Page of the Air.
11:00 News.
11:15 Reed Organ.
11:30 Border Boys.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 Dinner Bell.
12:30 News.
12:45 Markets.
1:00 Hillbilly Music.
1:15 Campfire Roundup.
2:00 News.
2:15 Town Crier.
2:30 Uncle Joe.
3:00 Johnson Cousins.
3:15 Sunny Gillam.
3:30 News.
3:45 Hymn Time.
4:00 The Goldbergs.
4:15 Life Can Be Beautiful.
4:30 Ma Perkins.
4:45 News.
5:00 Story Lady.
5:15 Toby Stroud.
5:30 Evening Melodies.
5:45 ews: Markets.
6:00 Dance Time.
6:45 News.
7:00 Sign Off.

SHENANDOAH VALLEY BROADCASTING CORPORATION

WFVA

1,300 Kilocycles.

TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:30 Music.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Two Boys and Guitar.
8:30 News Summary.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 True Story.
10:30 Full Gospel Church.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Oil Marion' News.
11:45 Gossip for Girls.
12:00 Hit Band.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 Luncheon Dancing.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 Baukage: News.
1:15 Lum 'n' Abner.
1:30 Concert Hall.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Full Gospel Church.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
2:45 Money Man.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Hollywood News.
4:00 Kid Smith.
4:30 Time Views the News
4:45 Mary Washington College.
5:00 Club 1290.
5:15 Dick Tracey.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Captain Midnite.
6:00 Terry and the Pirates.
6:15 Dinner Music.
6:45 News: Henry J. Taylor.
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:30 Twilight Reveries.
7:45 Treasury Parade.
8:00 Watch the World Go By.
8:15 Sign Off.

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Don't Believe
A laughing jackass is a 4-legged animal!

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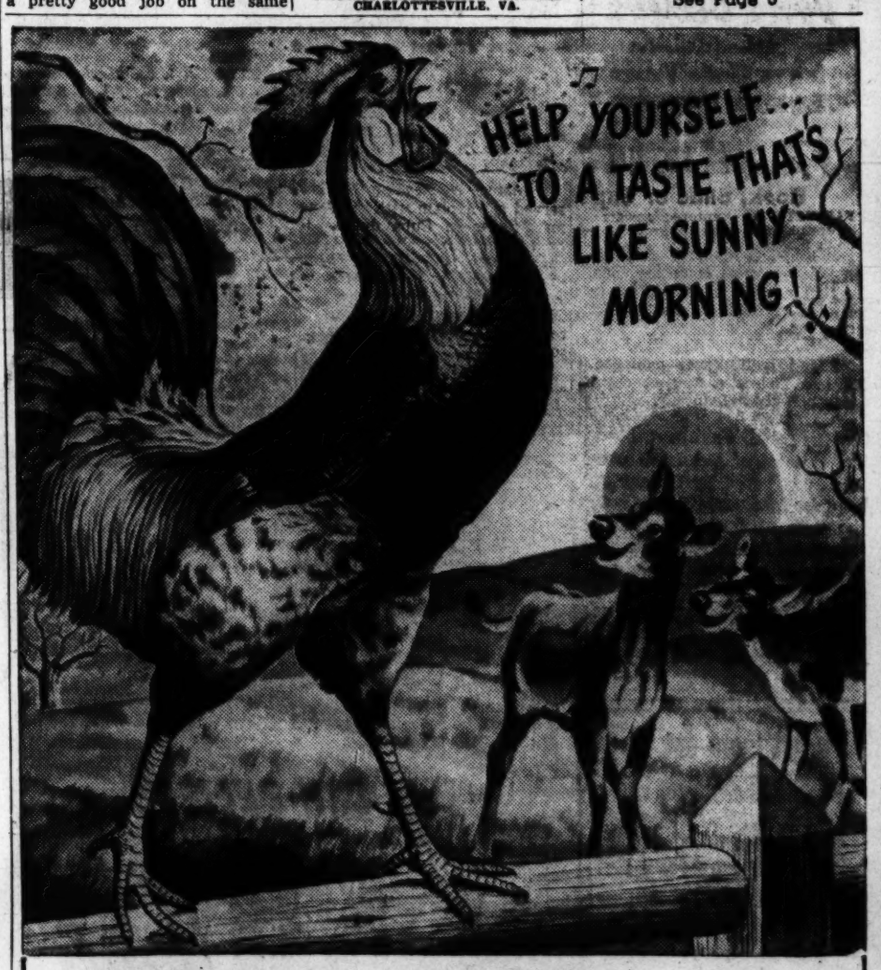

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

THERE HAS BEEN a lot of discussion inside Republican ranks about the closeness of Herbert Hoover to Tom Dewey. Some are dead against the Hoover influence, claim that the hand of Hooverism will blight both Dewey and GOP chances this year. Others are equally strong for Hoover, recalling that, even though defeated by Roosevelt, Hoover rolled up a substantial popular vote in 1932 and remains today one of the elder statesmen of the party.

But whether for or against Hoover, there is no real argument, among those who have watched the wheels go round, about the fact that Hoover has been the mainspring of the Dewey campaign.

Representative Clare Luce of Connecticut got a sample of this just before GOP leaders met recently in Chicago to organize for the Republican convention.

On the day before the organization meeting (at which Governor Warren of California was selected as the convention's keynote speaker) Mrs. Luce called Hoover on the phone. She told him that several people had suggested that she might be the keynote speaker, and she asked Hoover's advice as to whether she had a chance and what she should do about it.

"No use even bothering about it," Hoover replied, "Warren will be selected tomorrow."

He was.

NOTE — Another convention speaker selected at Chicago was Hoover himself, not without the blessing of Dewey. Hoover was put across largely through J. Russel Sprague, National Committeeman from New York, who acted as Dewey's factotum at Chicago.

Protection for Paratroopers

THANKS LARGELY to Senator Kilgore of West Virginia, the War Department is now doing its best to put self-sealing gasoline tanks in paratroop-carrying transport planes, also will supply the planes with a certain amount of armor to protect pilots.

After this column revealed that not one, but two groups of U. S. paratroopers over Sicily had been shot down by Allied gunners last July, Senator Kilgore wrote a letter to Secretary of War Stimson, pointing out that many of the paratroopers in the planes never had a chance to bail out, for some of the planes burst into flames while still in midair, due to the fact that the gasoline tanks ignited from anti-aircraft fire. Senator Kilgore pointed out that these paratroop transport planes did not have self-sealing gasoline tanks and asked Stimson to rectify this situation.

Kilgore has now received assurances that self-sealing tanks will be rushed into use on as many transport planes as possible.

There had been a dispute among air officers regarding the use of self-sealing tanks, some claiming that they could not be installed in time and that nothing must hold up the invasion. Other air officers argued, however, that U. S. airmen in England had been able to install self-sealing tanks in planes in English garages or any place else, that it was a simple matter and that the job at least should be started.

This latter group, according to assurances given to the West Virginia Senator, has now won out.

NOTE — General "Hap" Arnold, head of the Air Forces, always favored self-sealing tanks and other protection for paratroop transports, but his decision was sidetracked. Arnold also is pushing Army purchases of the quick-release type of parachute harness, the Army having now ordered more than 200,000. General Arnold himself brought up the matter of the parachute harness after reading a Washington Merry-Go-Round column. "Why," he stormed, "wasn't I told about this? Why do I have to find out about my own Air Corps from Drew Pearson?"

Pensioning John O'Connor

THERE IS A GOOD reason why Roosevelt's old enemy, former Congressman John J. O'Connor, is on the Federal payroll as the legal adviser to Tammany Congressman Martin Kennedy. If he serves long enough, he can get a New York State pension.

New York law provides that, when a public official has served twenty years for the State or Federal Government or both, he is then entitled to a pension, provided he is 55 years old. O'Connor, who is 58, entered the New York Assembly in 1921, went from there to the U. S. House of Representatives in 1923, and got in eighteen years' service for both New York and Congress before Roosevelt purged him in 1938.

Today, although practicing law in Washington, O'Connor has turned up on the payroll of Congressman Kennedy as his legal adviser. Kennedy is mysterious as to what O'Connor does, but whatever it is, he draws $2,600 for doing it. And in due time he should qualify for a New York pension.

First Lady to Speak

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is scheduled to speak in Baltimore next Sunday under the auspices of the Baltimore chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

Show Time

STAGE

National—"Carmen," at 8:30 p.m.

SCREEN

Palace—"Gaslight," at 11:10 a. m., 1:45, 4:25, 7 and 9:35 p. m.

Earle—"Passage to Marseilles," at 11 a. m., 1:50, 4:40, 7:30 and 10:10 p. m. Stage shows at 1:05, 3:55, 6:50 and 9:25 p. m.

Capitol—"Up in Mabel's Room," at 11 a. m., 1:40, 4:25, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:40 and 9:25 p. m.

Columbia—"See Here, Private Hargrove," at 11 a. m., 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:30 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"No Time for Love," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Up in Arms," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:20, 5:25, 7:25 and 9:30 p. m.

Little—"Journey for Margaret," at 11 a. m., 1:30, 4, 6:30 and 9:05 p. m. "Seeds of Freedom," at 12:15, 2:45, 5:15, 7:50 and 10:25 p. m.

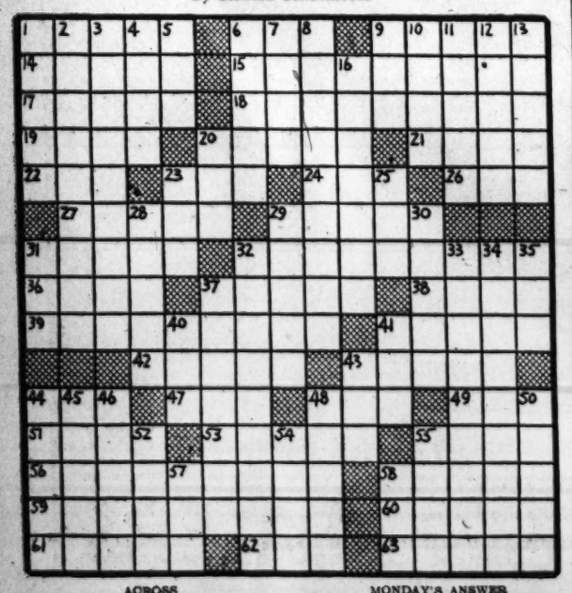
Pix—"Son of the Sheik," at 2, 4:45, 7:35 and 10:30. "Algiers," at 3:05, 6 and 8:55 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30 and 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Passage to Marseilles," at 1, 3:15, 5:15, 7:15 and 9:30 p. m.

Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By Ronald Schoenleber



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27 Roomy
29 Pertaining to the weight of air
31 Filter
32 Pervaded
36 Ages
37 Men
38 East Indian food grain
39 Fascinates
41 Universe
42 Passageway
43 City in Florida
44 Total
47 Luzon savage
48 Stabilize
49 Emmet
51 Discoverer of Greenland
53 Two collections of Icelandic literature
55 Obligation
56 Of the lower part of a tidal river
58 Flower
59 Guerrillas
60 Bring into a row
61 Frozen rain
62 Born
63 Units of force

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3 Averment
4 Brain tissue
5 Before
6 Warm
7 Deadly poison
8 Cause longer than
9 Canal event
10 Particle of matter
11 Presages
12 Sultan's decree
13 Former President
16 Makes harmless
20 Unite
23 Entirety
25 Pastry
28 Turkish title
30 A poisoning beauty
30 Billiard shot
31 Reality
32 Pertaining to knowledge
33 Waterproof canvas
34 The briar rose
35 Accomplished
37 Overpowers
40 Inlet
41 Care
43 Palm lilies
44 Oozes
45 Fur seal
46 Bishop's headdress
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58 Street urchin

MONDAY'S ANSWER

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Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

"This is going to be a tough campaign, Senator!—We can't depend on patronage any more—nobody's needs a job these days!"

LEONARD LYONS

Broadway Gazette

New York, May 15.

SPORTS: When Joe Louis first arrived in England and was met by the news photographers, they suggested that he pose with his fists up, "as if you're coming out fighting." Joe told the cameraman: "Say, who d'you think I am—Beau Jack?"... Louis was taken on a tour of the London sights. He was impressed most by the statute of George Washington. "These must be real people," said the champ. "They put up a statute to the man that knocked 'em out"

MONTY WOOLLEY

POLITICS: Jimmy Hines, who is eligible for parole from Sing Sing, was given a six-minute hearing on his application before the Parole Commission on Wednesday. When Hines again protested his innocence, the commissioners told him: "We proceed on the theory that when a man is convicted, he's guilty"... The commissioners then decided to postpone the ruling on his application for a parole until late in November. "You mean until after Election Day, don't you?" said the ex-Tammany leader... "Yes, that's it," said the commissioners. "Until after Election Day."

TRAVEL DEPT.: Monty Woolley arrived in New York this week, from Saratoga. He carried a traveling bag whose contents weighed 125 pounds. The bearded screen actor could find no porter at Grand Central, and started to lug the bag himself. He realized that, carrying such a heavy load, he would be a helpless target if the autograph hunters recognized him. And so he kept his head down and followed the crowd, along the station platform, up a few steps, into an elevator, and when he finally looked up he was on the 17th floor of the Hotel Biltmore.

NIGHT CLUB NOTE: For the first time in its long history, last night a male customer of the Stork Club was permitted to sit at a table and continue to wear his hat. The customer was His Royal Highness, Prince Haroun El Raschid of Iraq. He wore a red fez, which he refused to remove from his head, explaining that it would violate his religious precepts.

LOCAL NEWS: Richard Tregaskis, author of "Guadalcanal Diary," will go to Walter Reed Hospital for an operation to have his skull wound covered with a silver plate... Mrs. Enrico Caruso is ailing... H. G. Wells wrote to Norman Cousins, editor of the Sat. Rev. of Lit., stating that he expects to live six more years and had mapped out those six years into a complete plan of living... All the artists who painted the War Bond posters received their pay in war bonds... Lieut. Pat di Cicco was ordered back to the Army hospital at Mitchel Field last week.

DRAMA DEPT.: Victor Jory, Elisabeth Bergner's leading man in "The Two Mrs. Carrolls," was one of the speaker as the Drama League's presentation of a medal to Miss Bergner... "For more than 300 performances," said Jory, "I've beaten her, pushed her, dropped her, shoved her, choked her and poisoned her. Look at her now—the picture of health. And I've lost 22 pounds."

RADIO DEPT.: The Fifth War Loan Drive will be launched by Orson Welles, in a one-hour broadcast over the four radio networks, on June 12. The show will emanate from Texarkana, Tex. Welles will produce the program and play the Narrator and master of ceremonies.

FASHION NOTE: Elizabeth Hawes, author of "Fashion Is Spinach," works in the educational department of the United Auto Workers. Miss Hawes visited John Frederics, the milliners, and began to try on some jam o' shanters, fancy caps and other miniature head coverings... John urged her to try some of his new flower-bedecked spring creations. "I can't," said Miss Hawes. "I just cannot organize union workers in Detroit in a Johns-Frederics spring creation."

BUSINESS DEPT.: Some of Damon Runyon's friends were reminiscing of his match-making prowess and of the way in which Damon induced the reluctant Ancil Hoffman to allow his charge, Max Baer, to fight Joe Louis... When the discussion began, Hoffman refused to sign for the fight. Runyon noticed that Baer's manager would walk to the water-cooler at half-hour intervals and apply a toothache remedy powder to his ailing jaw. Runyon therefore prolonged the discussions, while Hoffman's tooth continued to ache. After eight hours the pain-wracked manager of Max Baer finally submitted, signed and rushed to a dentist.

SCHOOL DEPT.: Celeste Holm's son is in the second grade at school. He's the youngest student in his class. "How do you get along with the other boys?" his mother asked him... "Oh, I get along fine with them now," the youngster assured her... "And until now?" Celeste asked him... "Oh, they'd lick me and say I was small fry," the boy replied, "but then they found out that my mother has a leading role in 'Oklahoma!'"

OPA Decision On Tobacco Still Awaited

The Office of Price Administration failed to allow an increase in the ceiling price of Maryland tobacco yesterday and kept the entire Maryland crop from the auction blocks.

John M. Hall of Upper Marlboro, spokesman for the growers, said his group was momentarily expecting a statement and it would take no further action until one was forthcoming. The sales were suspended early last week, when farmers complained the ceiling price of 52 cents a pound was too low.

OPA officials said yesterday they were waiting for recommendations from the War Food Administration and the Office of Economic Stabilization before reaching a decision. They intimated it would be made today.

Comdr. Smoot of Va. Gets Commendation

Norfolk, Va., May 15 (AP).—Commander Otho Perry Smoot, USN, of Bowling Green, Va., has been commended by the commander-in-chief, Atlantic Fleet, for his part in the successful campaign against enemy submarines and blockade runers in the South Atlantic.

Smoot was fleet aviation officer on the staff of commander, Fourth Fleet, from November 1942 until March 1944. His wife, Mrs. Phyllis L. Smoot, resides at Charlottesville.

About the Showshops

With NELSON B. BELL

THERE WERE REMINDERS of two of Washington's recent acquaintances in the Sabbath loudspeakers.

Shampooing the airwaves from the top of that "Bandwagon," Mary Martin, as guest star, followed her introductory "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," with "Les Filles de Cadiz," embroidered with the boogie-woogie variations that first brought her to the interested attention of the Hollywood producers, after having been shunned by them for months.

JANE POWELL

The reminder in that instance was of Jane Powell, the 14-year-old prima donnalet, who recently charmed the drama desks and a considerable company of others at luncheon in the Carlton with her superior rendition of the same number. Jane's singing of the coloratura aria was the better of the two—until Mary reached the swing treatment and tricky lyrics she had utilized as an open sesame to managerial preferment. That would seem to be a fairly propitious augury for the juvenile Miss Powell's future. Just give the child a little time.

From the same spot on the dial came the voice of Signe Hasso, the Netherlands nurse in Cecil B. DeMille's "The Story of Dr. Wassell," soon to be seen as a regular attraction on the screen at the Earle Theater.

At the time of the Navy League's world premiere of the picture in Constitution Hall for the $23,000 benefit of the American Red Cross, Miss Hasso was a visitor in the Capital and impressed all who met her as one of the most engaging personalities that had ever stopped by, to or from Hollywood.

Lucky Charlie

All of the charm, wit and ability of an actress of wide experience and versatility were reflected in her radio joust with Mr. Bergen and the incorrigible Master McCarthy, ostensibly just out of a San Diego jail and in desperate need of the steadying influence of a competent governess. Needless to say, Miss Hasso got the job!

Miss Hasso, on the basis of personal observation and all the evidence, could get any job.

Incidentally, the auburn-haired Hasso is not the blonde you will be seeing in "Dr. Wassell." That was done as an unnecessary aid to glamour in the eyes of the servicemen involved in the picture.

And that reminds me, although I'm not quite sure why it should. When "Let's Face It" finds its way into the National Theater, in the wake of Katharine Cornell's "Lovers and Friends," Jean Hoke's name will be on the program. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoke, Jean was born and educated in Washington, the present home of her parents. She began her career in local dance recitals and with the Washington National Ballet. Her first stage appearance was in "D. C. Melody," in 1941. Later that year she joined the Fokine Ballet in New York, toured with "The Merry Widow" and appeared in night clubs. Her last New York chore, of all things, was with the Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey Circus, in Madison Square Garden. Still looking forward to her twentieth birthday, Miss Hoke in private life is Mrs. George Herdon—all 98 pounds of her, green eyes, honey-colored hair and all.

On Thursday at 1:30 p. m., St. Gertrude's Guild will sponsor a special bill at Louis Bernheimer's Newton Theater, 12th and Newton sts. ne. The program will be featured by the Twentieth Century-Fox production of "The Sullivans," on the screen, and will include music by Sidney's Orchestra. Proceeds will go to St. Gertrude's School of Arts and Crafts, in Brookland.

The Penalty of Success

Comes a letter from Bill Peirce of Bing Crosby Productions, Inc., voicing as fine a mess of lamentations as ever tore your heart out. It seems that the title role of "The Great John L.", his first independent production, is causing Bing a terrific headache and practically ruining his sleep. Director Frank Tuttle is reported testing candidates for the name part 40 hours a day, instead of week. Has to be an unknown for some reason of the same kind.

Now then, what I want to know—along with The Post's Miss Hedda Hopper and numerous other informed and sagacious West Coasters—is, what's the matter with Ward Bond? The husky and abundantly capable Mr. Bond did a pretty good job on the same character with Errol Flynn in "Gentleman Jim."

Maybe THAT is what's the matter with Ward Bond, although it seems a little silly not to utilize the services of an actor who already is identified in many picturegoing minds as the John L. they are trying to find.

All of which, as Mr. Peirce and we were saying, is Mr. Crosby's headache, not ours.

The U. S. Army Motion Picture Service makes known that attendants at War Department Theaters indicated by their patronage that the following were the box-office champions for April: "Andy Hardy's Blonde Trouble," "Follow the Boys," "Buffalo Bill" and "Uncertain Glory." No comment. In my book, only one of them—the Hardy item—has been seen here, although "Buffalo Bill" is being screened for the cricks this morning.

Ted Tiller, long one of Washington's favorite comic talents, is back in town from the Broadway tryout of his new comedy, "Quicksand," to assume the leading role in Catholic University's annual musical, "Sing Out, Sweet Land." Remember him in last year's "Eddie the First?"

The-Boom-of-the-Gun Note

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MORNING.

7:00 Transradio News.
7:05 Sunrise Salute.
8:00 News of World.
8:15 Community News.
8:30 Coffee Club.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:15 American School of the Air.
9:45 Cordwood.
10:15 Piano Moods.
10:30 Open Door.
10:45 Homemakers' Forum.
11:00 Organ Melodies.
11:15 W. C. T. U.
11:30 Town Crier.
11:45 Cordwood.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 News.
12:30 Helen Trent.
12:45 Our Gal Sunday.
1:00 Familiar Hymns.
1:30 Jerry Sears Orchestra.
1:45 Three-Quarter Time.
2:00 Dixie Rogers.
2:30 The Rev. S. Kipe.
3:00 Mary Marlin.
3:15 Elizabeth Bemis—News.
3:30 Now and Forever.
3:45 This Life Is Mine.
4:00 Church of Christ.
4:15 Musical Varieties.
4:30 Burl Ives.
4:45 The Rev. William Fowler.
5:00 Fun With Dunn.
5:15 Once Upon a Time.
5:30 Sing Along.
5:45 Sports Parade.

EVENING.

6:00 Transradio News.
6:15 Dude Ranch Cowhand.
6:30 Jack Smith.
6:45 Dinner Music.
7:00 Hood College.
7:15 Gertrude Flazz.
7:30 Dance Time.
8:00 Boy Scouts.
8:15 Music.
8:45 News and Sports.
9:00 Yours for Asking.
9:30 Report to the Nation.
10:00 Columbia Presents Corwin.
10:30 Congress Speaks.
10:45 Guy Lombardo.
11:00 World News.
11:15 Joan Brooks, Songs.
11:30 Romance.
12:00 News; Sign Off.

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TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Early Bird.
8:00 News. Early Bird.
8:45 Family Altar.
9:00 Organ Melodies.
9:30 Modern Romances.
9:45 Bandstand.
10:00 Front Line Features.
10:15 Morning Devotions.
10:30 Shady Valley Folks.
11:00 Arthur Gaeth.
11:15 Saddle Pals.
11:45 Health Talk.
11:50 News Parade.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 Farm Extension.
12:30 U. S. Marine Band.
1:00 Ray Daly.
1:15 Jack Bench.
1:30 Lunch With Lopez.
1:45 Quiet Hour.
2:00 Cedric Foster.
2:15 Saddle Pals.
2:30 Mutual Calling.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Palmer House Orchestra.
3:30 Nashville Varieties.
3:45 Time Was.
4:00 Romantic Cycle.
4:30 Full Speed Ahead.
5:00 Tunes for Today.
5:30 America Marches On.
5:45 Superman.

EVENING.

6:00 News, Sports.
6:15 The Smoothies.
6:30 Candlelight and Silver.
6:45 Adventures of Mark Twain.
7:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15 Johnson Family.
7:30 Confidentially Yours.
7:45 Jose Morand Orchestra.
8:00 Organ Music.
8:30 Pick 'n' Pat.
9:00 Gabriel Heatter.
9:15 Nick Carter.
9:30 American Forum.
10:15 To Be Announced.
10:30 San Quentin on the Air.
11:00 Sports Parade.
11:30 Sign Off.

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TUESDAY

1400 Kilocycles

MORNING

7:30 Morning Clock.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Morning Devotions.
8:30 Blue Nets Correspondents.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 News.
10:30 Martinsburg Wheel.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Kellogg News.
11:45 Wheel of Fortune.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Old Corrall.
12:15 Variety Melodies.
12:30 Farm and Home.
1:00 Baukhage.
1:15 Radio Bible School.
1:45 Jack Little.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Ozark Ramblers.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Sea Hound.
5:00 Terry and the Pirates.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Captain Midnight.

EVENING

6:00 Don't You Believe It.
6:15 Manhunt.
6:30 Reveries.
6:45 Henry Taylor, News.
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:15 Modern Romances.
7:30 Concert Hall.
8:00 News.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 Duffy's.
9:00 Famous Jury Trials.
9:30 Spotlight Band.
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Miracles and Melodies.

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MORNING.

7:00 Musical Clock.
7:25 News.
7:30 Musical Clock.
8:00 Martin Agronsky.
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:30 The Pilgrim Hour.
8:45 Lucky Lady.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 True Story.
10:45 Music for You.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 News Summary.
11:45 Texas Rangers.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 News.
12:05 Noontime Date.
12:15 Town Crier.
12:25 Today's Movie Guide.
12:30 National Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 News—Baukhage.
1:15 Music of the Masters.
1:45 Little Jack Little.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Ethel and Albert.
4:00 Ozark Ramblers.
4:30 Time Views News.
4:45 Five O'Clock Club.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Tiny Rhythm Roundup.

EVENING.

6:00 Terry and Pirates.
6:15 Song Parade.
6:30 Go to Work Talk.
6:45 Sports.
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:30 Symphonette.
8:00 Paul Neilson, News.
8:15 Lum 'n' Abner.
8:30 Duffy's.
9:00 Charlottesville Hit Parade.
9:30 Spotlight Bands.
9:55 Sports.
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Music.
10:30 Creeps in the Night.
11:00 Music You Want.
11:30 Serge of Koussevitsky Testimonial.
12:00 Sign Off.

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MORNING.

6:00 Rev. Maiden.
6:15 Hilly Billy Music.
6:30 Band Stand.
6:45 News and Markets.
7:00 Curley Joe.
7:15 Trading Post.
7:30 News.
7:45 Joe Johnson.
8:00 Screen Showcase.
8:15 Smiles.
8:30 Campfire Roundup.
9:00 Kitchen Frolic.
9:45 News.
10:00 Quality Music.
10:15 Government Show.
10:30 Doublin' in Ivory.
10:45 Woman's Page of the Air.
11:00 News.
11:15 Reed Organ.
11:30 Border Boys.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 Dinner Bell.
12:30 News.
12:45 Markets.
1:00 Hillbilly Music.
1:15 Campfire Roundup.
2:00 News.
2:15 Town Crier.
2:30 Uncle Joe.
3:00 Johnson Cousins.
3:15 Sunny Gillam.
3:30 News.
3:45 Hymn Time.
4:00 The Goldbergs.
4:15 Life Can Be Beautiful.
4:30 Ma Perkins.
4:45 News.
5:00 Story Lady.
5:15 Toby Stroud.
5:30 Evening Melodies.
5:45 News; Markets.
6:00 Dance Time.
6:45 News.
7:00 Sign Off.

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TUESDAY

MORNING.

7:30 Music.
8:00 War Journal.
8:15 Two Boys and Guitar.
8:30 News Summary.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 True Story.
10:30 Full Gospel Church.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Gil Martyn: News.
11:45 Gossip for Girls.
12:00 Hit Band.

AFTERNOON.

12:15 Luncheon Dancing.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 Baukage: News.
1:15 Lum 'n' Abner.
1:30 Concert Hall.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Full Gospel Church.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
2:45 Money Man.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Appointment With Life.
3:45 Hollywood News.
4:00 Kid Smith.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Mary Washington College.
5:00 Club 1290.
5:15 Dick Tracey.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Captain Midnite.
6:00 Terry and the Pirates.
6:15 Dinner Music.
6:45 News: Henry J. Taylor.
7:00 Let Yourself Go.
7:30 Twilight Reveries.
7:45 Treasury Parade.
8:00 Watch the World Go By.
8:15 Sign Off.

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Strawberries Vanish Month Before Normal

Strawberries virtually disappeared from the local market a month before they normally would, as the result of OPA ceilings and scarcity of pickers, it was learned here yesterday.

The OPA has fixed a ceiling of 40 cents a quart for the berries at the farm and farmers are demanding 50 cents. As a result, dealers here said, the berries vanished here over a week ago. In justification of their demands, farmers said whereas they formerly paid pickers 3 cents a quart, they are now compelled to pay 10 cents. Moreover, they said, berry boxes also have gone up in price.

Berries shipped here have been below standard because farmers lacked help to grade them. The year's crop also was below normal.

On the other hand, onions, which were scarse a few weeks ago, are now so plentiful that growers are selling them below OPA celings, at $1.35 a 50 pound sack.

Texas shippers are so overstocked that they are shipping quantities of onions here to commission merchants with instructions to get what price they can for them.

43 District Men Will Report To Services Today

Forty-three Washington men, including 12 Negroes, will report today for active duty with the armed forces.

To the Army will go:

Kenneth D. Carpenter, John W. Carty, Wah K. Chin, Patrick J. Hannan, Ralph S. Hookman, Bruce H. Markham, Charles D. Poole, Merle H. Smith, Robert L. Beliveau, white, and Thomas J. Cureton, Collier H. Ely, Willam E. Gray, Hugh Mason, Joseph Saunders, Ecclestastes Taylor, Negro.

To the Navy will go:

Alvin T. Barrett, William G. Bostick, Joseph R. Brown, Raphael D. Cahn, Ralph E. Cauffman, Charles W. Cooke, Montford Cosman, Robert E. Crump, George W. Douglas, Crawford C. Edwards, Robert E. Emerick, Charles F. Fowler, Robert L. Koehler, Durward A. Klopp, William F. Malone, Eugene C. Moran, Everett S. Pence, Albert C. Schauman, Walter A. Schultz, William F. Springgate, Edmund C. Zinns, Walter D. Zollinhofer, white, and Daniel L. Beverly, Clifton H. Winston, Thomas H. Winston, Walter E. Banks, Arthur S. Payne, Archie K. Smith, Negro.

Crocodiles rely for protection upon their tough hides.

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BIG GUN—Girl inspectors check controls of 5-inch gun at U. S. Naval ordnance plant operated by Westinghouse at Louisville.

Blithe May 15 Weather Booms Business in Men's Straw Hats

Washington's males took the fashion limelikht yesterday as they joined an informal parade celebrating straw hat day.

Stores were flooded with purchasers eager to be among the first to blossom in straw. Hat clerks and managers laughingly confessed men were just as solicitous of their appearance before the mirror as any woman preening in a new bonnet.

Wives accompanied their menfolk in some cases. One store manager commented that "women are much harder ot please . Most of the time the man walks out with the first hat he tries on. But the women—they make you pull out every hat in the store—and wind up by approving the first hat shown.

Store managers attributed this year's booming straw-hat business to the blithe weather. The temperature rose gracefully from a low of 60 degrees at 5:55 a. m. yesterday to mid-eighties in the afternoon. Fair weather with similar temperatures is forecast for today.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull headed the parade in a $500 Panama. His new topper was made from material imported from Ecuador. Vice President Wallace also wore a Panama.

The old-style sailer straws are almost obsolete, storekeepers said. "The unbecoming sailors should never have been inflicted on 'men, anyway,' 'was their opinion.

Rites Are Held For Minister Killed by Car

Funeral services for the Rev. John Upton Evers, 72, retired minister of 122 Fourth st. se., who worked as a War Department guard "to aid the war effort," were held yesterday at Gawler's funeral home. He was buried in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Mr. Evers died Wednesday at Emergency Hospital where he was taken when struck by an automobile in the downtown area Saturday.

A native of Reading, Pa., he served as chaplain with the America nforces in Cuba during the Spanish-American War. He organized the first YMCA for the use of servicemen in 1901. Following service with the YMCA in France during the first world war, he did rehabilitation work with wounded soldiers.

Retired from the active ministry since 1926, he came to this city at the outbreak of the present war to do war work. He is survived by two sons, Dr. John Upton Evers, jr., of the District, and William Evers of Martinsburg.

Children's Bundle Day

Bundle day headquarters for the Save the Children Federation will be open from today through May 30 in the workshop of the American Women's Hospital Reserve Corps at the Force School, 1740 Massachusetts ave. nw.

Any type of clothing for children and adults will be accepted between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. daily except Saturday. The program is designed to furnish clothing to underprivileged children in rural districts where no other child welfare agencies exist.

Mrs. Anna P. Judd

Funeral services were held in Petersburg, Va., yesterday at 4:30 p. m. for Mrs. Ann P. Judd, 36, of 418 East Glendale ave., Alexandria, who was found drowned in the partially filled bathtub at her home on Saturday by her husband, Charles T. Judd.

A certificate of suicide in the death was issued Sunday by Dr. Samuel H. Williams, assistant coroner of Alexandria. According to police, she had inhaled ether fumes before drowning.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a four year old son.

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Baby Found Dead

A 3-month-old baby was found dead, apparently from suffocation, in its crib in an apartment at 516 Eighth st. ne. yesterday morning.

The child, Darlene E. Clark, was found by her mother, Mrs. Ellen Clark, who told police she fed the baby at 3 a. m. and then placed her on her stomach. Police said when Mrs. Clark awoke several hours later, she found the baby dead with her face sunk in a pillow.

The child's father is Andrew Leroy Clark, 21, a boatswain second class in the Seabeas and stationed at Solomons, Md. The couple, who have another child 19 months old, have been living in the District less than a month, police said.

The ordinary watch crystal will crack under 50 pounds weight.

The United States has 41 persons to the square mile.

Post Captain Promoted

Robert Allen Newman, captain of the Port of Washington, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander in the United States Coast Guard, it was announced yesterday by Fifth District Headquarters.

Newman, who lives at 8600 Milford ave., Silver Spring, Md., is a native of New York City. He was commissioned in the Coast Guard on April 15, 1942. Previous to that he had been the manager of a bond department of a New York City real estate brokerage house and president of the Applegate Land and Improvement Company.

'Cross Goals for God' Is Mission Speaker's Plea

By Robert Tate Allan

Dr. Glenn Clark, a square-shouldered former football coach, who uses grid jargon to lead prayer circles, yesterday called upon Washington to "cross goals for God."

He conducted a "quiet hour" in the Lincoln Chapel of New York Avenue Presbyterian Church as a feature of the Federation of Churches' Spiritual-Life Mission now in progress.

The speaker, head of the department of creative living at McAlaster College, St. Paul, Minn., told worshipers that Washington, because of its strategic position, should "cross spiritual goals for the Nation and the world." The Capital, he said, "needs a spiritual bath."

Dr. Clark is a member of a visiting Mission "team" of speakers that include Dr. E. Stanley Jones, widely-known Methodist missionary to India, and Abraham Vereide, director of the National Committee for Christian Leadership, an organization that helped initiate the prayer groups on Capitol Hill.

Vereide will lead the prayer meeting today from 12:35 to 1:20 p. m. in New York Avenue Church, and Dr. Jones wil lspeak in the church auditorium from 12:05 to 12:35 p. m. The Rev. George E. Schnabel, pastor of Albright Memorial Evangelical Church, led yesterday's devotions, and the Rev. Calvin Wingert, of Grace Evangelical and Reformed Church, will be today's devotional leader.

Inspirational group meetings are being held in churches, homes and other places during the Mission. Dr. Clark addressed an interracial prayer meeting last night at 1318 Vermont ave. nw., and other programs were at the home of Mrs. Aymar Johnson, at 2523 Massachusetts ave. nw., and at the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Dodson, 1852 Columbia rd. nw.

Dudley Holtman and Wilbur LaRoe, laymen, will be in charge of a program of the Washington Breakfast Club today at 7:45 a. m. at the Statler Hotel, where Dr. Jones will speak. The Rev. Orris G. Robinson, pastor of Calvary Methodist Church, will be host to a prayer group today at 8 p. m. at 1459 Columbia rd. nw.

Bills Raising Veteran Pensions Await Roosevelt's Signature

By the Associated Press

The Senate passed and sent to the White House yesterday bills boosting pensions of disabled veterans of World Wars I and II from $100 to $115 a month, where disability is service-conected, and from $40 to $50 monthly in case of noneservice-conected disability.

The measures, carrying comparable increases in awards to veterans' widows and dependents, passed the House last November.

The bills were among a series o veterans' aid measures approved by the Senate by unanimous voice votes. Others would:

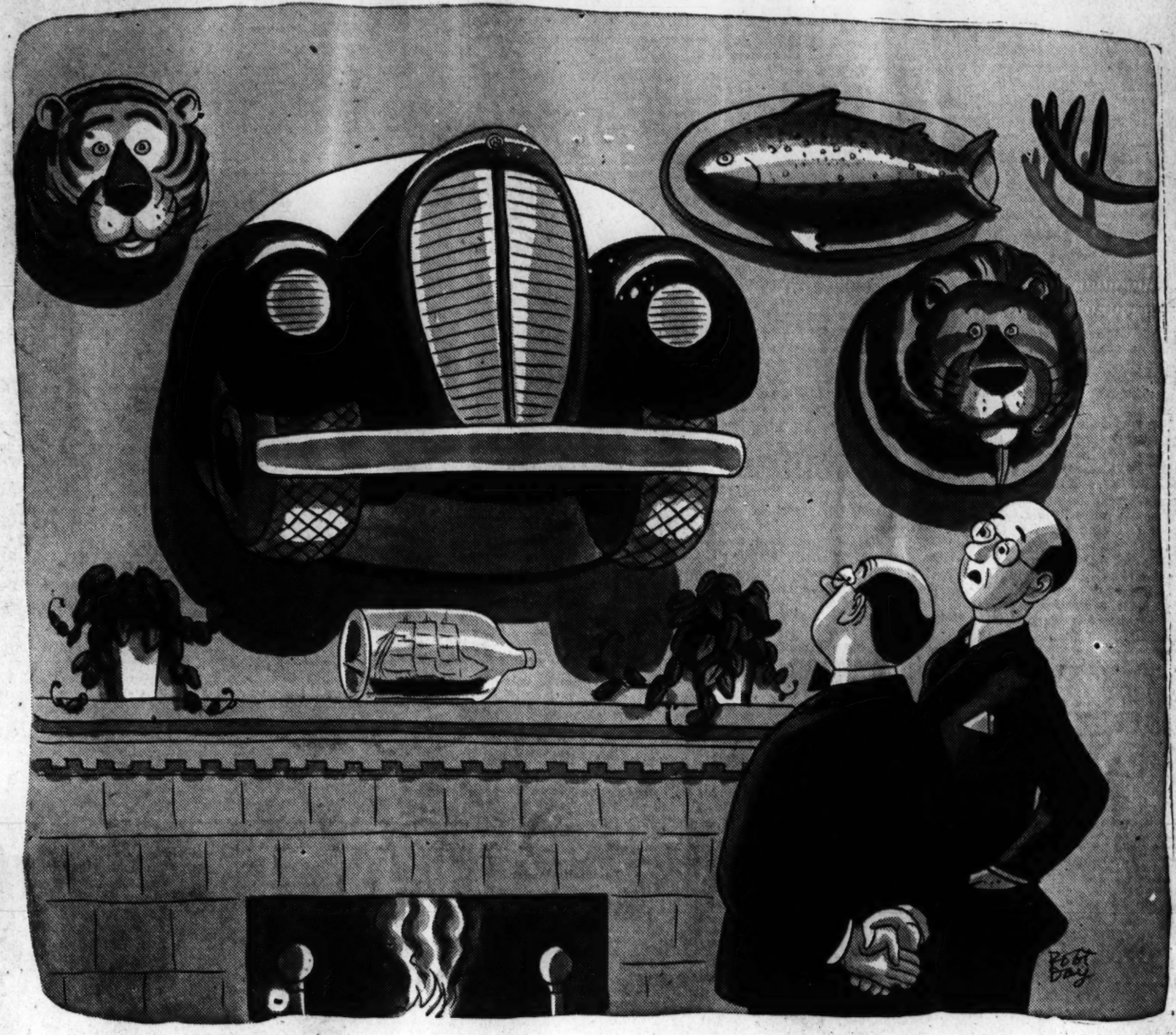
Authorize the Veterans' Administration to provide seeing-eye guide dogs for blind veterans. The bill, authorizing a million-dollar appropriation, previously passed the House, but must return there for concurrence in a minor revision.

Pemit the Veterans' Administration to furnish artificial limbs and other appliances to injured retired officers and enlisted members of the armed services. Previously passed by the House, the bill goes to the President.

Provide that death pension or compensation to dependents of service men shall be payable from a date one day following the official finding of death by the War or Navy Departments.

Pastor to Be Retired

Dr Cornelius C. Coleman, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Richmond, Va., for 15 years, and who served West Washington Baptist Church, Georgetown, 30 years ago, will be retired by the church, at his own request, August 31, it was reported last night from Richmond. He has been in the ministry 43 years.



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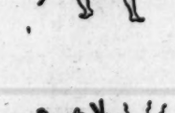

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SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1943

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Railway operating expenses	280,584,352.63	204,241,186.76	76,343,153.87
Net railway operating revenue	$107,557,792.45	$102,012,994.73	$ 5,544,804.72
Railway tax accruals (including federal income tax)	46,457,958.58	25,054,012.87	21,403,945.71
Railway operating income	$ 61,099,840.87	$ 76,958,981.86	d15,859,140.99
Equipment and joint facility rents—Net debit	8,472,777.77	7,400,282.88	1,072,494.89
Net railway operating income	$ 52,627,063.10	$ 69,558,717.98	d16,931,635.48
Other income	8,637,966.63	8,670,683.14	d 32,716.51
Total income	$ 60,805,437.13	$ 78,229,401.13	d17,423,964.00
Miscellaneous deductions from income	2,035,995.36	1,685,984.96	350,010.40
Income available for fixed charges	$ 58,769,441.77	$ 76,543,416.17	d17,773,974.40
Fixed interest and other charges	19,647,107.61	19,843,297.06	d 1,316,184.37
Income available for other purposes	$ 40,122,338.96	$ 56,690,159.09	d16,457,820.13
Contingent interest charges	9,312,158.80	11,056,342.80	d 1,743,704.00
Audited net income	$ 30,809,480.46	$ 45,733,566.89	d14,914,116.13

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There was no change in capital stock during the year, but there was a net reduction of $58,661,938, in interest bearing obligations of which $37,017,000 were retired through the operation of the sinking fund created by the 1938 Plan for Modification of Interest Charges and Maturities.

R. B. WHITE, President

Strawberries Vanish Month Before Normal

Strawberries virtually disappeared from the local market a month before they normally would, as the result of OPA ceilings and scarcity of pickers, it was learned here yesterday.

The OPA has fixed a ceiling of 40 cents a quart for the berries at the farm and farmers are demanding 50 cents. As a result, dealers here said, the berries vanished here over a week ago. In justification of their demands, farmers said whereas they formerly paid pickers 3 cents a quart, they are now compelled to pay 10 cents. Moreover, they said, berry boxes also have gone up in price.

Berries shipped here have been below standard because farmers lacked help to grade them. The year's crop also was below normal.

On the other hand, onions, which were scarse a few weeks ago, are now so plentiful that growers are selling them below OPA celings, at $1.35 a 50 pound sack.

Texas shippers are so overstocked that they are shipping quantities of onions here to commission merchants with instructions to get what price they can for them.

43 District Men Will Report To Services Today

Forty-three Washington men, including 12 Negroes, will report today for active duty with the armed forces.

To the Army will go:

Kenneth D. Carpenter, John W. Carty, Wah K. Chin, Patrick J. Hannan, Ralph S. Hockman, Bruce H. Markham, Charles D. Poole, Merle H. Smith, Robert L. Beliveau, white, and Thomas J. Cureton, Collier H. Ely, Willam E. Gray, Hugh Mason, Joseph Saunders, Ecclestiastes Taylor, Negro.

To the Navy will go:

Alvin T. Barrett, William G. Bostick, Joseph R. Brown, Raphael D. Cahn, Ralph E. Cauffman, Charles W. Cooke, Montford Cosman, Robert E. Crump, George W. Douglas, Crawford C. Edwards, Robert E. Emerick, Charles F. Fowler, Robert L. Koehler, Durward A. Klopp, William F. Malone, Eugene C. Moran, Everett S. Pence, Albert C. Schauman, Walter A. Schultz, William F. Springgate, Edmund C. Zinns, Walter D. Zollinhofer, white, and Daniel L. Beverly, Clifton H. Winston, Thomas H. Winston, Walter E. Banks, Arthur S. Payne, Archie K. Smith, Negro.

Crocodiles rely for protection upon their tough hides.

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BIG GUN—Girl inspectors check controls of 5-inch gun at U. S. Naval ordnance plant operated by Westinghouse at Louisville.

Blithe May 15 Weather Booms Business in Men's Straw Hats

Washington's males took the fashion limelikht yesterday as they joined an informal parade celebrating straw hat day.

Stores were flooded with purchasers eager to be among the first to blossom in straw. Hat clerks and managers laughingly confessed men were just as solicitous of their appearance before the mirror as any woman preening in a new bonnet.

Wives accompanied their menfolk in some cases. One store manager commented that "women are much harder ot please . Most of the time the man walks out with the first hat he tries on. But the women—they make you pull out every hat in the store—and wind up by approving the first hat shown.

Store managers attributed this year's booming straw-hat business to the blithe weather. The temperature rose gracefully from a low of 60 degrees at 5:55 a. m. yesterday to mid-eighties in the afternoon. Fair weather with similar temperatures is forecast for today.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull headed the parade in a $500 Panama. His new topper was made from material imported from Ecuador. Vice President Wallace also wore a Panama.

The old-style sailer straws are almost obsolete, storekeepers said. "The unbecoming sailors should never have been inflicted on 'men, anyway,' 'was their opinion.

Rites Are Held For Minister Killed by Car

Funeral services for the Rev. John Upton Evers, 72, retired minister of 122 Fourth st. se., who worked as a War Department guard "to aid the war effort," were held yesterday at Gawler's funeral home. He was buried in Martinsburg, W. Va.

Mr. Evers died Wednesday at Emergency Hospital where he was taken when struck by an automobile in the downtown area Saturday.

A native of Reading, Pa., he served as chaplain with the America nforces in Cuba during the Spanish-American War. He organized the first YMCA for the use of servicemen in 1901. Following service with the YMCA in France during the first world war, he did rehabilitation work with wounded soldiers.

Retired from the active ministry since 1926, he came to this city at the outbreak of the present war to do war work. He is survived by two sons, Dr. John Upton Evers, jr., of the District, and William Evers of Martinsburg.

Children's Bundle Day

Bundle day headquarters for the Save the Children Federation will be open from today through May 30 in the workshop of the American Women's Hospital Reserve Corps at the Force School, 1740 Massachusetts ave. nw.

Any type of clothing for children and adults will be accepted between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. daily except Saturday. The program is designed to furnish clothing to underprivileged children in rural districts where no other child welfare agencies exist.

Mrs. Anna P. Judd

Funeral services were held in Petersburg, Va., yesterday at 4:30 p. m. for Mrs. Ann P. Judd, 36, of 418 East Glendale ave., Alexandria, who was found drowned in the partially filled bathtub at her home on Saturday by her husband, Charles T. Judd.

A certificate of suicide in the death was issued Sunday by Dr. Samuel H. Williams, assistant coroner of Alexandria. According to police, she had inhaled ether fumes before drowning.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by a four year old son.

Post Captain Promoted

Robert Allen Newman, captain of the Port of Washington, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander in the United States Coast Guard, it was announced yesterday by Fifth District Headquarters.

Newman, who lives at 8600 Milford ave., Silver Spring, Md., is a native of New York City. He was commissioned in the Coast Guard on April 15, 1942. Previous to that he had been the manager of a bond department of a New York City real estate brokerage house and president of the Applegate Land and Improvement Company.

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Bills Raising Veteran Pensions Await Roosevelt's Signature

By the Associated Press

The Senate passed and sent to the White House yesterday bills boosting pensions of disabled veterans of World Wars I and II from $100 to $115 a month, where disability is service-conected, and from $40 to $50 monthly in case of noneservice-conected disability.

The measures, carrying comparable increases in awards to veterans' widows and dependents, passed the House last November.

The bills were among a series o veterans' aid measures approved by the Senate by unanimous voice votes. Others would:

Authorize the Veterans' Administration to provide seeing-eye guide dogs for blind veterans. The bill, authorizing a million-dollar appropriation, previously passed the House, but must return there for concurrence in a minor revision.

Pemit the Veterans' Administration to furnish artificial limbs and other appliances to injured retired officers and enlisted members of the armed services. Previously passed by the House, the bill goes to the President.

Provide that death pension or compensation to dependents of service men shall be payable from a date one day following the official finding of death by the War or Navy Departments.

Pastor to Be Retired

Dr Cornelius C. Coleman, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, Richmond, Va., for 15 years, and who served West Washington Baptist Church, Georgetown, 30 years ago, will be retired by the church, at his own request, August 31, it was reported last night from Richmond. He has been in the ministry 43 years.

'Cross Goals for God' Is Mission Speaker's Plea

By Robert Tate Allan

Dr. Glenn Clark, a square-shouldered former football coach, who uses grid jargon to lead prayer circles, yesterday called upon Washington to "cross goals for God."

He conducted a "quiet hour" in the Lincoln Chapel of New York Avenue Presbyterian Church as a feature of the Federation of Churches' Spiritual-Life Mission now in progress.

The speaker, head of the department of creative living at McAlaster College, St. Paul, Minn., told worshipers that Washington, because of its strategic position, should "cross spiritual goals for the Nation and the world." The Capital, he said, "needs a spiritual bath."

Dr. Clark is a member of a visiting Mission "team" of speakers that include Dr. E. Stanley Jones, widely-known Methodist missionary to India, and Abraham Vereide, director of the National Committee for Christian Leadership, an organization that helped initiate the prayer groups on Capitol Hill.

Vereide will lead the prayer meeting today from 12:35 to 1:20 p. m. in New York Avenue Church, and Dr. Jones wil lspeak in the church auditorium from 12:05 to 12:35 p. m. The Rev. George E. Schnabel, pastor of Albright Memorial Evangelical Church, led yesterday's devotions, and the Rev. Calvin Wingert, of Grace Evangelical and Reformed Church, will be today's devotional leader.

Inspirational group meetings are being held in churches, homes and other places during the Mission. Dr. Clark addressed an interracial prayer meeting last night at 1318 Vermont ave. nw., and other programs were at the home of Mrs. Aymar Johnson, at 2523 Massachusetts ave. nw., and at the residence of Mrs. Gertrude Dodson, 1852 Columbia rd. nw.

Dudley Holtman and Wilbur LaRoe, laymen, will be in charge of a program of the Washington Breakfast Club today at 7:45 a. m. at the Statler Hotel, where Dr. Jones will speak. The Rev. Orris G. Robinson, pastor of Calvary Methodist Church, will be host to a prayer group today at 8 p. m. at 1459 Columbia rd. nw.

Baby Found Dead

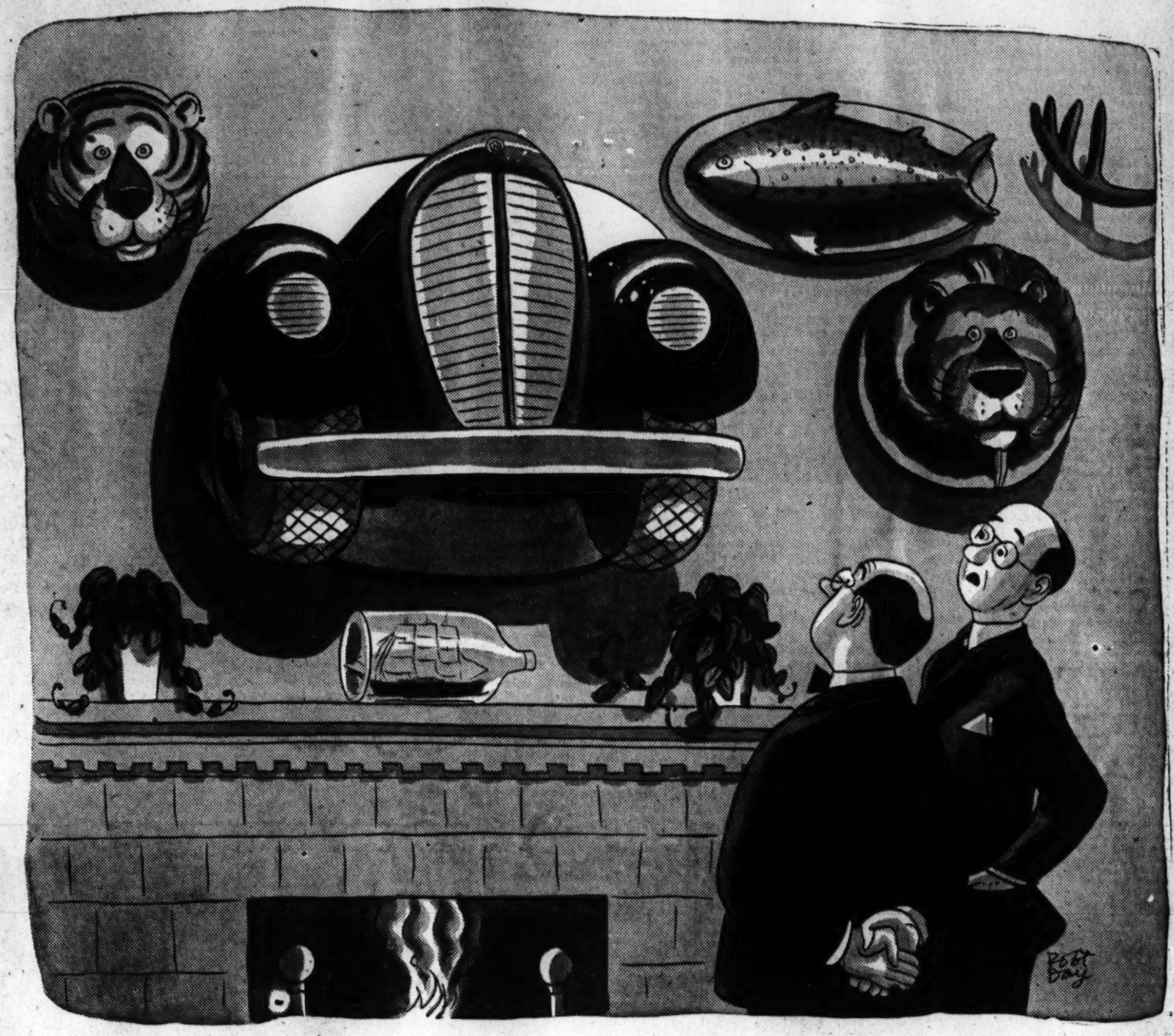
A 3-month-old baby was found dead, apparently from suffocation, in its crib in an apartment at 516 Eighth st. ne. yesterday morning.

The child, Darlene E. Clark, was found by her mother, Mrs. Ellen Clark, who told police she fed the baby at 3 a. m. and then placed her on her stomach. Police said when Mrs. Clark awoke several hours later, she found the baby dead with her face sunk in a pillow.

The child's father is Andrew Leroy Clark, 21, a boatswain second class in the Seabeas and stationed at Solomons, Md. The couple, who have another child 19 months old, have been living in the District less than a month, police said.

The ordinary watch crystal will crack under 50 pounds weight.

The United States has 41 persons to the square mile.



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Convalescent Servicemen Study Arts and Crafts Under Experts She Enlists

SHE HAS A TITLE as long as from here to there, and a variety of duties that would stagger the average volunteer worker. . . . But attractive and able Mrs. Artemus L. Gates takes it in her stride; goes quietly and efficiently about her job which, incidentaly, is one of the most interesting in Washington.

Specifically, her title is Assistant Director of Volunteer Special Services in Charge of the Arts and Skills Corps of the Red Cross.

"You'll never remember all that; nobody would," said Mrs. Gates, lending me her pencil.. "It just means that I'm in charges of the corps tha t enlists the volunteer services of expert artists and craftsmen throughout the country to teach their particular art or skill to convalescents in service hospitals."

The title is new to Mrs. Gates; the job isn't. Just recently she succeeded Mrs. Cass Canfield, who directed the program in its first year and whom she has assisted since November, 1942. Now in New York, Mrs. Canfield is carrying on the work there. And still another woman, Dorothy Liebes, the internationally known textile designer, who played an important role in organizing the program, is promoting interest in it all over the country.

Mrs. Artemus L. Gates

Wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air, Mrs. Gates is a native of Long Island and the daughter of the late Henry P. Davison, who was chairman of the American Red Cross War Council in World War I, and founder of the League of Red Cross Societies.

With her sister, Mrs. Ward Cheney, she operated the Decorators Picture Gallery which attracted great interest in Manhattan art circles in 1936 and 1937. The gallery was unique in presenting pictures against appropriate home backgrounds designed by outstanding decorators.

AT LEAST ONE local maid is convinced that the distribution of clean clothes in wartime Washington should be a share-and-share-alike proposition. Particularly when it concerns close friends.

She is the maid who does the laundry for Walter Straub, director of food rationing for OPA, and also for a close friend of his who lives just down the street.

It seems that time after time shirts, towels and socks came back to the wrong owner. Mr. Straub, in desperation, finally protested.

"Oh, do both daundries together," explained the maid. "So maybe that's why the two batches sometimes get mixed. I didn't think you'd mind very much anyway . . . since you're such close friends."

CENTERING THE spotlight at a late afternoon party yesterday was one of the few men who know how to get artists to work together, with a minimum of conflicting temperaments.

He is Jack L. Beddington, director of the British Ministry of Information, films division, and the party given in his honor by the British Information Services took place in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower Hotel from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Guests who gathered around him were full of questions as to how long he would be here, which production plans he had under way, and whether he ever hoped to get anything on the screen more successful than the documentary thriller, "Desert Victory," for which he was largely responsible.

"Oh, did you like D'esert Victory'" he asked . . . by way of not answering the latter question. He admitted, however, "other production plans" were on the way, and that following his Washington sojourn, he would be off to Hollywood to get them completed as soon as possible.

Oxford-educated Mr. Beddington, who is now in his late forties, was on the fighting front in World War I; went to China after the armistice; then returned to England to handle publicity for an international oil concern. In that capacity, one of his chief duties was to advertise petrol by means of posters, magazine illustrations and sales-magic narratives.

"It was then," he said, with a chuckle, "that I learned how to work with artists. And that knowledge helped me out materially in the making of 'esert Victory.'"

THE QUESTION, "Where's Stanton Griffis?" has been rippling around Washington dinner tables ever since the popular Paramount executive, who has been heading OWI's motion-picture division, disappeared from the Capital scene a couple of weeks ago.

From Sweden, by wireless, came the answer the other day. Accompanied by Douglas Poteat, Mr. Griffis arrived in Stockholm by air from Great Britain. The two are there to discuss with Swedish authorities as well as with industrialists the problem of Swedish ball-bearing exports to Germany.

Canny Mr. Griffis declined to make statements to the press upon arrival in the Swedish capital. He called at once on American Minister Herschel Johnson, then went directly to confer with Marcus Wallenberg, jr., and with Christian E. Guenther, Swedish Minister for Foreign Affairs.

According to speculations in Stockholm newspapers, speculations which, incidentally, have been borne out in the latest news flashes from Sweden, Mr. Griffis is there to offer to buy, on behalf of the United States, all the ball bearings intended for export to Germany.

Also in Sewden now, and staying at the Grand Hotel, which happens to be Mr. Griffis' Stockholm address, is Karl Schnurre, German Foreign Office economic expert, who arrived there three days ahead of Mr. Griffis. Reported to be the liaison man of the German High Command, and Hitler's ace negotiator, he flew into the Swedish capital with a minimum of fanfare and a statement to the press that he was there "on business, expecting to remain about a week."

Doubtless, when Mr. Griffis returns, he'll have a fresh fund of fascinating stories to tell about his Swedish experience . . . and his work at outwitting Hitler's ace negotiator.

Lee Memorial Group to Meet Next Sunday

When directors of the Robert E. Lee Memorial Foundation meet Sunday at Stratford Hall in Virginia, they will lunch, camp style. In fact, it will be only as a result of arduous work on the part of members that a lunch will be served at all, for the modern log kitchen recently was demolished by fire.

A hastily erected kitchen has just been completed, furnished with odds and ends of equipment. Directors have staged a treasure hunt in basements, garrets and junk shops in order to replace contents.

Mrs. Hawes Contributes

Mrs. Harry B. Hawes found a reconditioned wood range, modern equipment being out of the question at this time. Mrs. Alfred I. duPont supplied plates, cups and saucers; Mrs. Ralph Worthing loaned flat silver.

Other contributions were made by Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Miss Georgina P. Yeatman, Mrs. Horace Van Deventer, Mrs. Edmund Burke Ball and many more.

Those who will be present Sunday include Mrs. Peter Arrington, North Carolina; Mrs. Charles E. Bolling, Virginia; Mrs. Alfred I. duPont, Wilmington; Mrs. George L. Harrison, New York; Mrs. Andrew Jackson Geer, South Carolina; Mrs. Wilson Forfleet Felder, Connecticut; Mrs. Robert Worth Bingham, Kentucky; Mrs. William Cabell Bruce, Maryland, and Mrs. Harold Lee Berry, Maine.

Will Represent District

Mrs. Casenova Lee will represent the District and others will be there from each regional group.

Due to the war and gasoline shortage, the usual afternoon program has been abandoned, but following a precendent of years, the visitors able to make the trip will be admitted without charge to the home of the Confederate general which is maintained by the foundation.

Helen England Will Be Bride

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Helen Thomas England, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur England of Rockville, Md., to Stuart Faulkner Crump, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Crump of Providence, R. I. The wedding will take place soon.

Miss England was graduated from the University of Maryland. Mr. Crump from Brown University. Both are employed in Cardenrock, Md.

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STANDING BESIDE THE TALL BIRD BATH is Miss Nancy Anderson in the garden of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Deering Howe's house. It is one of those to be opened next Sunday for the second tour of Georgetown gardens for the benefit of Georgetown House, a neighborhood meeting place for children and their parents

Have Outside Interests, Mothers, Says Mrs. Ufford

By Genevieve Reynolds

All household chores and no outside interests makes for a dull, drab wife and mother. This is the belief of alert, amiable Mrs. Walter S. Ufford, pioneer social worker, who combined a successful career with a happy marriage.

Mrs. Ufford

Friends and associates feel that her work has contributed much to sociology, whic h was an unknown field when she began. As a token of admiration and appreciation, this group honored her with a testimonial luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower Hotel.

When it comes to choosing between career and family she thinks the latter should come first. "Women must realize that the greatest patriotic contribution they can make to their country is to bring up good, fine, healthy children. If work you must when you have children, then put them in a good nursery or kindergarten school. Even if a mother has no interest in a paid job, she should keep abreast of events with broad interests. Then she has more to offer her husband and children. Broad interests not only provide livelier conversation for the family but build up more inner resources from which to draw, according to Mrs. Ufford, who hastily adds, "why should a childless woman give advice to mothers?"

Puts Tots in School

There's one point she insists upon—don't leave children entirely in the maid's care. It is far preferable to put them in a good nursery school. Mothers who have no desire for a career would benefit both themselves and the children by sending them to a nursery school part of the day. Such a program would permit the mother to have free time to follow, civic, educational or cultural pursuits. Also, it would refresh her viewpoint, preserve energy to be a real mother and enjoy the time spent with her offspring.

Where there is no question of children, Mrs. Ufford is confident a woman can combine marriage and career. For such a venture to succeed the husband and wife must share mutual interests in the work. In her own case, she and her late husband were intensely interested in social welfare work.

Laughingly she tells a joke on herself. When John M. Glenn, then head of the Russell Foundation was about to marry Miss Mary Wilcox, social worker, she gave this bit of sage advice: "Don't devote all your time and energy to social work. Take sometime of your own."

"Naturally, they paid not a whit of attention," she recalls.

Scriveners' Garden Fete Attracts Many

An informal garden fete that attracted a large number of Washingtonians yesterday was the one at which Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Scrivener, jr., were hosts.

The 6 to 8 p. m. affair honored Mr. and Mrs. Morton Bodfish, Chicago; John MacCormac, New York Times correspondent, who is leaving shortly for a London assignment, and Mrs. MacCormac.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Escot Reed who have recently returned to the Canadian Legation here following a tour of duty in Canada, Rear Admiral and Mrs. Arthur Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kent, jr., the Counselor at the Portuguese Legation and Mme. Garin and Mr. and Mrs. John Summerscale of the British Embassy.

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Portrait of Shallow And Cynical Character

DEAR BETTY: You describe Paul as an intellectual;—by which you mean to say, of course, that he is regarded in certain quarters as having unusual mental capacity or above-average intelligence. But the portrait of the young man that emerges from your narrative of his captious and cynical relationship to you suggests that his claims to intellectuality don't go very deep.

Inasmuch as a man's performance tells the story of what he really is, one judges that Paul is a person of rather mediocre mental capacity and adolescent character; and that what passes for intellectualism in his social bag of tricks is a mass of second-hand information, opinion, etc., which he skimmed off the minds of other men and stored in the vacant spaces where his gray matter should be,—and draws upon at random to make a brave, false show of sophisticated wisdom and studious profundity, when dealing with those who are even less versed in true insight than he.

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THERE is a question mark at the core of Paul's personality. His negligent conduct as a courtier, who charms men and women with equal success; his vague recurrent idea of marrying you, an idea sicklied o'er with the pale cast of his dubiety as to whether it would work out; his mild indifference to women generally; his wanton suggestion that you might want to seek solace in an affair during his absence from the country; and your persistent intuitive conviction that you couldn't make a lasting real marriage with him,—all this suggests that, basically, his personality is not cast in the mold of bonafide, wholesome, aggressive masculinity. It suggests that he is neuter gender; or, more exactly, that latently he may be erotically more attracted by other men than by women; a possibility he has not consciously recognized; and may be unconsciously on guard against.

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Mary Haworth counsels through her column; not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post Women's Page.

Harriet Patterson, Pierce Ellis Married in University Chapel

Miss Harriet Elizabeth Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hansford Patterson, Chevy Chase, became the bride last Friday of Pierce Sartorius Ellis, jr., USA, son of Dr. and Mrs. Pierce S. Ellis, Tallahassee, Fla.

Double ring ceremony took place in Cannon Memorial Chapel at the University of Richmond, Va., the Rev. Dr. Solon B. Cousins of the university faculty officiating at the 4:30 p. m. service.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore white marquisette, the yoke bordered with appliqued daisies. Her fingertip veil was held in place with orange blossoms; her bouquet was of roses and snapdragons.

Miss Mildred Anderson of Chevy Chase served as maid of honor, wearing yellow marquisette. The bride's other attendants, who are classmates at Westhampton College, were Miss Anne Garland Green, Bowling Green, Va., and Miss Gene Rodgers Shepherd of Portsmouth, Va. They wore matching gowns of aqua maquisette and, like the maid of honor, carried nosegays of pastel flowers with contrasting ribbons.

Father Is Best Man

Dr. Pierce S. Ellis was best man for his son and ushers were Midshipmen George Oliver and Lee Minor, Richmond, fraternity brothers of the bridegroom.

Bride and bridegroom both attended the University of Richmond, where the bride is now a member of the graduating class of Westhampton College. Private Ellis is a member of Theta Chi fraternity, Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Beta Kappa.

The Gentler Sex

Malvina Lindsay is on vacation. Her column, "The Gentler Sex," will be resumed May 22.

Ellis Briggs Honor Guest At Dinner

The Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and Senora de Copello entertained last night at dinner in honor of Ellis Briggs, recently-named United States Envoy to their homeland.

Among those present were the Ecuadorian Ambassador, Capt. Eloy Alfaro; the Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Michels, the Ambassador of Uruguay and Senora de Blanco, the Ambassador of Guatemala and Senora de Recinos, the Ambasscador of Honduras and Senora de Caceres, the Ambassador of El Salvador and Senora de Castro, the Ambassador of Panama and Senora de Jimenez, and the Peruvian Charge d'Affaires and Senora de Garland.

Others in attendance included the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Adolph Berle, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lee Pierson, Dr. Leo S. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cafritz, Dr. and Mrs. Tomas Caligas and Herbert May.

Will Receive Guests

Mme. Diamantopoulos, wife of the Greek Ambassador, will receive guests at the embassy after the address of Andre Michalopoulos Wednesday evening. Mr. Michalopoulos will speak at the United Nations War Relief Center on that date.

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HOPE RIDINGS MILLER

Convalescent Servicemen Study Arts and Crafts Under Experts She Enlists

SHE HAS A TITLE as long as from here to there, and a variety of duties that would stagger the average volunteer worker. . . . But attractive and able Mrs. Artemus L. Gates takes it in her stride; goes quietly and efficiently about her job which, incidentaly, is one of the most interesting in Washington.

Specifically, her title is Assistant Director of Volunteer Special Services in Charge of the Arts and Skills Corps of the Red Cross.

"You'll never remember all that; nobody would," said Mrs. Gates, lending me her pencil.. "It just means that I'm in charges of the corps tha t enlists the volunteer services of expert artists and craftsmen throughout the country to teach their particular art or skill to convalescents in service hospitals."

The title is new to Mrs. Gates; the job isn't. Just recently she succeeded Mrs. Cass Canfield, who directed the program in its first year and whom she has assisted since November, 1942. Now in New York, Mrs. Canfield is carrying on the work there. And still another woman, Dorothy Liebes, the internationally known textile designer, who played an important role in organizing the program, is promoting interest in it all over the country.

Mrs. Artemus L. Gates

Wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air, Mrs. Gates is a native of Long Island and the daughter of the late Henry P. Davison, who was chairman of the American Red Cross War Council in World War I, and founder of the League of Red Cross Societies.

With her sister, Mrs. Ward Cheney, she operated the Decorators Picture Gallery which attracted great interest in Manhattan art circles in 1936 and 1937. The gallery was unique in presenting pictures against appropriate home backgrounds designed by outstanding decorators.

AT LEAST ONE local maid is convinced that the distribution of clean clothes in wartime Washington should be a share-and-share-alike proposition. Particularly when it concerns close friends.

She is the maid who does the laundry for Walter Straub, director of food rationing for OPA, and also for a close friend of his who lives just down the street.

It seems that time after time shirts, towels and socks came back to the wrong owner. Mr. Straub, in desperation, finally protested.

"Oh, do both daundries together," explained the maid. "So maybe that's why the two batches sometimes get mixed. I didn't think you'd mind very much anyway . . . since you're such close friends."

CENTERING THE spotlight at a late afternoon party yesterday was one of the few men who know how to get artists to work together, with a minimum of conflicting temperaments.

He is Jack L. Beddington, director of the British Ministry of Information, films division, and the party given in his honor by the British Information Services took place in the Chinese Room of the Mayflower Hotel from 5:30 to 7 o'clock.

Guests who gathered around him were full of questions as to how long he would be here, which production plans he had under way, and whether he ever hoped to get anything on the screen more successful than the documentary thriller, "Desert Victory," for which he was largely responsible.

"Oh, did you like D'esert Victory'" he asked . . . by way of not answering the latter question. He admitted, however, "other production plans" were on the way, and that following his Washington sojourn, he would be off to Hollywood to get them completed as soon as possible.

Oxford-educated Mr. Beddington, who is now in his late forties, was on the fighting front in World War I; went to China after the armistice; then returned to England to handle publicity for an international oil concern. In that capacity, one of his chief duties was to advertise petrol by means of posters, magazine illustrations and sales-magic narratives.

"It was then," he said, with a chuckle, "that I learned how to work with artists. And that knowledge helped me out materially in the making of 'esert Victory.'"

THE QUESTION, "Where's Stanton Griffis?" has been rippling around Washington dinner tables ever since the popular Paramount executive, who has been heading OWI's motion-picture division, disappeared from the Capital scene a couple of weeks ago.

From Sweden, by wireless, came the answer the other day. Accompanied by Douglas Poteat, Mr. Griffis arrived in Stockholm by air from Great Britain. The two are there to discuss with Swedish authorities as well as with industrialists the problem of Swedish ball-bearing exports to Germany.

Canny Mr. Griffis declined to make statements to the press upon arrival in the Swedish capital. He called at once on American Minister Herschel Johnson, then went directly to confer with Marcus Wallenberg, jr., and with Christian E. Guenther, Swedish Minister for Foreign Affairs.

According to speculations in Stockholm newspapers, speculations which, incidentally, have been borne out in the latest news flashes from Sweden, Mr. Griffis is there to offer to buy, on behalf of the United States, all the ball bearings intended for export to Germany.

Also in Sewden now, and staying at the Grand Hotel, which happens to be Mr. Griffis' Stockholm address, is Karl Schnurre, German Foreign Office economic expert, who arrived there three days ahead of Mr. Griffis. Reported to be the liaison man of the German High Command, and Hitler's ace negotiator, he flew into the Swedish capital with a minimum of fanfare and a statement to the press that he was there "on business, expecting to remain about a week."

Doubtless, when Mr. Griffis returns, he'll have a fresh fund of fascinating stories to tell about his Swedish experience . . . and his work at outwitting Hitler's ace negotiator.

Lee Memorial Group to Meet Next Sunday

When directors of the Robert E. Lee Memorial Foundation meet Sunday at Stratford Hall in Virginia, they will lunch, camp style. In fact, it will be only as a result of arduous work on the part of members that a lunch will be served at all, for the modern log kitchen recently was demolished by fire.

A hastily erected kitchen has just been completed, furnished with odds and ends of equipment. Directors have staged a treasure hunt in basements, garrets and junk shops in order to replace contents.

Mrs. Hawes Contributes

Mrs. Harry B. Hawes found a reconditioned wood range, modern equipment being out of the question at this time. Mrs. Alfred I. duPont supplied plates, cups and saucers; Mrs. Ralph Worthing loaned flat silver.

Other contributions were made by Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, Miss Georgina P. Yeatman, Mrs. Horace Van Deventer, Mrs. Edmund Burke Ball and many more.

Those who will be present Sunday include Mrs. Peter Arrington, North Carolina; Mrs. Charles E. Bolling, Virginia; Mrs. Alfred I. duPont, Wilmington; Mrs. George L. Harrison, New York; Mrs. Andrew Jackson Geer, South Carolina; Mrs. Wilson Forfleet Felder, Connecticut; Mrs. Robert Worth Bingham, Kentucky; Mrs. William Cabell Bruce, Maryland, and Mrs. Harold Lee Berry, Maine.

Will Represent District

Mrs. Casenova Lee will represent the District and others will be there from each regional group.

Due to the war and gasoline shortage, the usual afternoon program has been abandoned, but following a precendent of years, the visitors able to make the trip will be admited without charge to the home of the Confederate general which is maintained by the foundation.

Helen England Will Be Bride

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Helen Thomas England, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Arthur England of Rockville, Md., to Stuart Faulkner Crump, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Crump of Providence, R. I. The wedding will take place soon.

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STANDING BESIDE THE TALL BIRD BATH is Miss Nancy Anderson in the garden of Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Deering Howe's house. It is one of those to be opened next Sunday for the second tour of Georgetown gardens for the benefit of Georgetown House, a neighborhood meeting place for children and their parents

Have Outside Interests, Mothers, Says Mrs. Ufford

By Genevieve Reynolds

All household chores and no outside interests makes for a dull, drab wife and mother. This is the belief of alert, amiable Mrs. Walter S. Ufford, pioneer social worker, who combined a successful career with a happy marriage.

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Friends and associates feel that her work has contributed much to sociology, whic h was an unknown field when she began. As a token of admiration and appreciation, this group honored her with a testimonial luncheon yesterday at the Mayflower Hotel.

When it comes to choosing between career and family she thinks the latter should come first. "Women must realize that the greatest patriotic contribution they can make to their country is to bring up good, fine, healthy children. If work you must when you have children, then put them in a good nursery or kindergarten school. Even if a mother has no interest in a paid job, she should keep abreast of events with broad interests. Then she has more to offer her husband and children. Broad interests not only provide livelier conversation for the family but build up more inner resources from which to draw, according to Mrs. Ufford, who hastily adds, "why should a childless woman give advice to mothers?"

Puts Tots in School

There's one point she insists upon—don't leave children entirely in the maid's care. It is far preferable to put them in a good nursery school. Mothers who have no desire for a career would benefit both themselves and the children by sending them to a nursery school part of the day. Such a program would permit the mother to have free time to follow, civic, educational or cultural pursuits. Also, it would refresh her viewpoint, preserve energy to be a real mother and enjoy the time spent with her offspring.

Where there is no question of children, Mrs. Ufford is confident a woman can combine marriage and career. For such a venture to succeed the husband and wife must share mutual interests in the work. In her own case, she and her late husband were intensely interested in social welfare work.

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She Now Has Another More Stable Suitor

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His parents are divorced; his father, I believe, having walked out on the family. He is a great charmer with both sexes; but especially with women; and a delight to be with. However, I feel unsure of my hold on him, although I am called very pretty and he is most attentive to me. Lately I have acquired another admirer, who is stable and represents to me a security I cannot feel with Paul, even though no man attracts me as he does. Should I marry him? Or try to interest myself wholeheartedly in this "fine man" I have come to know? BETTY.

Portrait of Shallow And Cynical Character

DEAR BETTY: You describe Paul as an intellectual;—by which you mean to say, of course, that he is regarded in certain quarters as having unusual mental capacity or above-average intelligence. But the portrait of the young man that emerges from your narrative of his captious and cynical relationship to you suggests that his claims to intellectuality don't go very deep.

Inasmuch as a man's performance tells the story of what he really is, one judges that Paul is a person of rather mediocre mental capacity and adolescent character; and that what passes for intellectualism in his social bag of tricks is a mass of second-hand information, opinion, etc., which he skimmed off the minds of other men and stored in the vacant spaces where his gray matter should be,—and draws upon at random to make a brave, false show of sophisticated wisdom and studious profundity, when dealing with those who are even less versed in true insight than he.

Question Mark at Core Of Man's Personality

THERE is a question mark at the core of Paul's personality. His negligent conduct as a courtier, who charms men and women with equal success; his vague recurrent idea of marrying you, an idea sicklied o'er with the pale cast of his dubiety as to whether it would work out; his mild indifference to women generally; his wanton suggestion that you might want to seek solace in an affair during his absence from the country; and your persistent intuitive conviction that you couldn't make a lasting real marriage with him,—all this suggests that, basically, his personality is not cast in the mold of bonafide, wholesome, aggressive masculinity. It suggests that he is neuter gender; or, more exactly, that latently he may be erotically more attracted by other men than by women; a possibility he has not consciously recognized; and may be unconsciously on guard against.

If this is a more or less accurate estimate of the x-factor in Paul's vacillating personality, then certainly it affords no recommendation of him as a husband. And this negative prognosis is reached independently of other discouraging, outward and visible aspects of his character, namely: the fact that he has little money, seems to have no purpose in life, and would expect you to be a career woman,—i. e., stand on your own feet always,—as his wife. Your idea that you love him is pure delusion. You don't. The fact that you felt no pain when he jilted you once demonstrates that. Your imagination has "fixated" on him because, while suggesting certain emotions to you, he constantly mystifies, baffles and eludes you; leaving you habitually unsatisfied and uncertain. And such would always be your fate with him. So, for real satisfaction of the heart, you had much better concentrate on the "fine man" now in the offing. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column; not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post Women's Page.

Ellis Briggs Honor Guest At Dinner

The Ambassador of the Dominican Republic and Senora de Copello entertained last night at dinner in honor of Ellis Briggs, recently-named United States Envoy to their homeland.

Among those present were the Ecuadorian Ambassador, Capt. Eloy Alfaro; the Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Michels, the Ambassador of Uruguay and Senora de Blanco, the Ambassador of Guatemala and Senora de Recinos, the Ambasscador of Honduras and Senora de Caceres, the Ambassador of El Salvador and Senora de Castro, the Ambassador of Panama and Senora de Jimenez, and the Peruvian Charge d'Affaires and Senora de Garland.

Others in attendance included the Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Adolph Berle, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lee Pierson, Dr. Leo S. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cafritz, Dr. and Mrs. Tomas Cajigas and Herbert May.

Will Receive Guests

Mme. Diamantopoulos, wife of the Greek Ambassador, will receive guests at the embassy after the address of Andre Michalopoulos Wednesday evening. Mr. Michalopoulos will speak at the United Nations War Relief Center on that date.

Harriet Patterson, Pierce Ellis Married in University Chapel

Miss Harriet Elizabeth Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hansford Patterson, Chevy Chase, became the bride last Friday of Pierce Sartorius Ellis, jr., USA, son of Dr. and Mrs. Pierce S. Ellis, Tallahassee, Fla.

Double ring ceremony took place in Cannon Memorial Chapel at the University of Richmond, Va., the Rev. Dr. Solon B. Cousins of the university faculty officiating at the 4:30 p. m. service.

Escorted and given in marriage by her father, the bride wore white marquisette, the yoke bordered with appliqued daisies. Her fingertip veil was held in place with orange blossoms; her bouquet was of roses and snapdragons.

Miss Mildred Anderson of Chevy Chase served as maid of honor, wearing yellow marquisette. The bride's other attendants, who are classmates at Westhampton College, were Miss Anne Garland Green, Bowling Green, Va., and Miss Gene Rodgers Shepherd of Portsmouth, Va. They wore matching gowns of aqua maquisette and, like the maid of honor, carried nosegays of pastel flowers with contrasting ribbons.

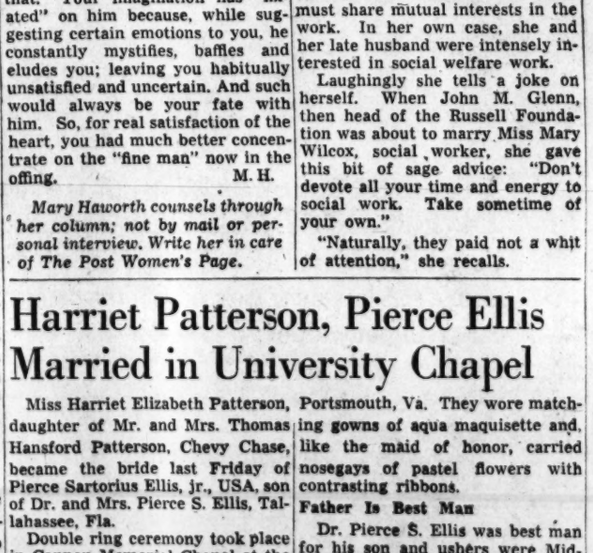
Father Is Best Man

Dr. Pierce S. Ellis was best man for his son and ushers were Midshipmen George Oliver and Lee Minor, Richmond, fraternity brothers of the bridegroom.

Bride and bridegroom both attended the University of Richmond, where the bride is now a member of the graduating class of Westhampton College. Private Ellis is a member of Theta Chi fraternity, Omicron Delta Kappa and Phi Beta Kappa.

The Gentler Sex

Malvina Lindsay is on vacation. Her column, "The Gentler Sex," will be resumed May 22.



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Civic Leaders Give Luncheon To Mrs. Ufford

By Margaret Davis

Mrs. Walter S. Ufford, 35 years a social welfare leader here, pleaded for a better District School for the Feeble-Minded when she rose to acknowledge plaudits of 200 top-rank citiy officials at a testimonial luncheon given in her honor at the Mayflower Hotel yesterday.

"I have been criticized for being an incurable optimist," said the 77-year-old crusader. "But if it had not been for optimism, the District would have been much longer getting an institution for the feeble-minded. Of course, we still haven't gto what we need."

Mrs. Ufford spoke after her contributions to Washington's welfare activities caused Ray H. Everett, executive secretary of Washington's Social Hygiene Society to recit epoetry and caused Representative Thomas D'Alesandro, jr. (D., Md.) of Baltimore, where Mrs. Ufford now lives, to admit this was only the second time he had appeared at a District function.

Guest of House Acclaimed

Mrs. Ufford's ability to gain a following and to convince Congress of needs were acclaimed. She has been credited with helping establish the Family Welfare Committee, the Children's Protective Association, Laurel Training School and Travelers' Aid.

Coleman Jennings, head of the Community War Fund's campaign committee, opened the ceremonies. Everett, toastmaster, said that "for many years Washington has been governed by a benevolent dictator . . . many of us have looked on Mrs. Ufford as chief of the underground."

D'Alesandro said Mrs. Ufford had been a "mother to Washington's underprivileged."

The Right Rev. Msgr. John O'Grady paid tribute to Mrs. Offord and her husband, the late Dr. Ufford, who was secretary of the Washington Associated Charities, for their vision in remedying bad conditions.

Others Praise Leader

Among those who recalled association with the Uffords in the welfare field were the Rev. John Van Schaick, Katherine Lenroot, head of the Children's Bureau; Mabel Boardman, who told of Mrs. Ufford's Red Cross work during the last war, and Herbert L. Willett, director of the Community War Fund, who pointed out that Mrs. Ufford is still helping push social legislation on Capitol Hill.

Willett presented to Mrs. Ufford a souvenir book containing congratulatory messages and telegrams.

Others at the luncheon were Judge Fay Bentley of the Juvenile Court; Harry S. Wender, president of the Federation of Civic Associations; Health Officer George C. Ruhland, District Commissioner Charles Kutz, Dr. Frank W. Ballou and Dr. George Bowerman, former superintendent of schools, and Robert L. Haycock, present superintendent, and Clara Herbert, librarian; Mrs. Lester Buchanan and Charles C. Glover, jr.

Capital Garage Awaits Action Of Senate Unit

Senator Ave Murdock (D., Utah), chairman of a Senate subcommittee considering a bill to pool Government-owned cars, said yesterday his committee expected to meet today and decide on a report on the bill and to make recommendations for the disposition of the FWA's Capital Garage on New York ave. nw.

Other members of the committee are Senators Ernest W. McFarland (D., Ariz.) and Chapman Revercomb (R., W. Va.).

Senator Murdock said that up for consideration also would be a report that the FWA had employed an automotive engineer at the garage and another report to the effect that the Government agency planned to tur nthe operation of the property over to the Public Roads Administration, a branch of FWA.

Although there has been no formal meeting of the committee to consider the garage question, a poll of the members indicates the sentiment is against continuance of the project and also against passage of the car pool bill.

RHYTHMIC BUILDERS—Singing a Nile river boat song, natives of Nigeria, Africa, swing their picks in rhythm as they build an air base for the U. S. Army Air Forces.

And Where What's Going On

Entertainment for Servicemen and Women

Servicemen's Ticket Booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., free tickets for movies, dances and lectures, 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Center for the armed forces of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., canteen, checking, showers, lounge, all day.

Stage Door Canteen, Belasco Theater, Eddie O'Hearn, Carlton Hotel, 8 to 8:30 p. m.; Nat Brandywine, Hotel Statler, 9:15 to 9:45 p. m.; Sasha Lucas, Latin Quarter, 10:30 to 11 p. m.

Badminton, Roosevelt Center, 13th and Upshur sts. nw., 6:30 p. m.

Newcomers' Night, Personalized Clinic, "Summer Grooming" by Hannah Sherman, social hour, dancing and refreshments, YWCA, 17th and K sts. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Archery, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Potomac Hostels, meet to plan weekend hiking and biking trips, 472 Indiana ave. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Voice Recordings, Salvation Army USO, 801 Market Space nw., 7:30 p. m.

Weiner Roast, Rock Creek Park, meet at Salvation Army USO, 801 Market Space nw., 7:30 p. m.

Bridge tournament, USO Club, 1814 N st. nw., 8 to 10 p. m.

Square dancing, Potomac Hostels, 819 16th st. nw., 30 cents, 8 p. m.

Dance, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, Washington Chapel, 16th st. and Columbia rd. nw., 8 p. m.

Bowling, prizes, Salvation Army USO, 8th and Market space nw., 8 p. m.

Music of the Masters, Calvary Baptist Church, 8th and H sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Washington Civic Orchestra, Washington Choral Society, Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Variety Club, Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, 9th and Mass. ave. nw., 8 p. m.

Dance, Friendship House, orchestra, 619 D st. se., 8:30 p. m.

Dance, USO NCCS, 918 10th st. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Square dance, orchestra, Northeast USO, 10th and Mass. ave. ne., 8:30 p. m.

Games, dancing, group singing, Foundry Methodist Church, Letts Building, 16th and P sts. nw., 8:30 to 10 p. m.

Tournament bridge, USO NCCS, 1814 N st. nw., 8:30 to 10:30 p. m.

Membership dance, Jewish Community Center, 16th st. at Que, 9 p. m.

Dance (Negro), Georgia Avenue USO, 2011 Ga. ave. nw., 9 p. m.

Entertainment for Civilian Warworkers

Little Theater Group, Hearthstone Warworkers Club (Negro), 1703 11th st. nw., 8 p. m.

Concert, Potomac Choral Club, Corcoran Gallery, 17th and New York ave. nw., free, 8:15 p. m.

Breakfasts, Luncheons and Dinners

Early Birds Breakfast Club, Willard, 8 a. m.

American University breakfast, Statler, 8 a. m.

Bureau of Rehabilitation, luncheon, Willard, 12:30 p. m.

Sigma Chi Fraternity, Washington Alumni Chapter, luncheon, O'Donnell's Restaurant, 1209 E st. nw., 12:30 p. m.

Civitan Luncheon, Mayflower Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Dartmouth Club luncheon, Annapolis, 12:30 p. m.

Junior Board of Commerce luncheon, Annapolis, 12:30 p. m.

National Association of Food Brokers, luncheon, Statler, 12:30 p. m.

Advisory Committee on Government Questionaires, luncheon, Statler, 12:30 p. m.

National Association of Manufacturers and National Industrial Council, joint luncheon, Statler, 12:30 p. m.

Law Librarians' Society of Washington, dinner, Henderson Castle, 16th and Florida ave. nw., 6:30 p. m.

Meetings

Marines Christian League, library, Henderson Hall, Arlington, Va., 7:30 p. m.

Lincoln Park Citizens Association, Eastern High School, 17th and East Capitol sts., 7:30 p. m.

Cathedral Heights and Cleveland Park Citizens Association, Parish Hall of St Alban's Church, 8 p. m.

Catholic Daughters of America, D. C Chapter, Willard, 8 p. m.

Republican State Committee, Willard, 8 p. m.

Progress Club, Willard, 8 p. m.

National Association of Power Engineers, Willard, 8 p. m.

O'Connor Institute, Statler, 8 p. m.

Women's National Democratic Committee, Statler, 8 p. m.

Pi Beta Phi Alumnae Club, 4900 Western ave., 8 p. m.

Washington Air Mail Society, Collectors Club and Capital Precancel Club, joint meeting, Thomson Community Center, 12th and L sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Classes and Lectures

Ceramics, Friendship House, 619 D st. se., 7 to 10 p. m.

Sewing and making over, Langley Center, 1st and T sts. ne., 7 p. m.

Piano lessons, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Spanish, $1 per month, servicemen free, Thomson Center, 12th and L sts. nw., beginners, 7 p. m.; advanced, 8 p. m.

Polish and Gaelic classes, Washington Stamp Collectors Club, bridge, Thomson Center, 12th and L sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Social dancing, drama (beginners), Roosevelt Center, 13th and Upshur sts., 8 p. m.

Dancing, professional instructor, Masonic Center, 13th and New York ave. nw., 8 p. m.

Art, French, chess, Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., 8:30 p. m.

Lecture, "The Eighteenth Century Gaelic Poets of Munster," presented by Douglas Hyde Branch of Gaelic League, Thomson School, 12th and L sts. nw., 8:45 p. m.

'Gestapo' Salute Enforcement Denied by District Military

Army and Navy officials emphatically denied yesterday they are using "Gestapo" methods to make members of the armed forces in the District conform to regulations requiring uniformed men to salute.

Reports that military police and shore patrols were using secret "sneak patrols" to check whether service men were saluting promptly, are without foundation, a spokesman for Maj. Gen. John T. Lewis, commanding officer of the Military District of Washington said.

The reports of drastic punishment of ocffiers and enlisted men charged with not observing full military courtesy resulted from a statement by General Lewis on April 7, emphasizing that failure to observe correct saluting form would result in reports to offenders' superiors. This rule has applied in the District since Pearl Harbor.

However, only regular military police and shore patrol members are watching the uniformed personel.

Soldier Keeps His Plan

Lieut. Gilbert I. Zellan of 4306 Georgia ave. nw. was married here yesterday as the crowning step in plans he made as an Army corporal last November when he docked at San Francisco after 10-months duty in New Caledonia.

Lieutenant Zellan would go, he planned then, to Officers' Candidate School and then marry his high school sweetheart, Louise Lessner, of 719 Quebec pl. nw., after being relieved of his dock supervising duties in the South Pacific. . .Last Wednesday he was commissioned in New Orleans, and yesterday in ceremonies at his fiancee's home, he married his girl.

Son of Jacob L. Zellan, Lieutenant Zellan is a graduate of Roosevelt High School. He also attended Benjamin Franklin University before entering the service.

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This means extra heavy traffic for the railroads—so heavy, in fact, that there may not be enough seats or berths to accommodate all the civilians who desire to make trips over the Memorial Day period.

We are sincerely sorry that war needs keep us from having more equipment available, but we are sure you want the troops and others traveling on war-important jobs to get first call on what we have.

Travel will be extraordinarily heavy on May 26, 27, 28, 29, 30 and 31 . . . many passengers will have to stand . . . so, if possible, try to go and return before or after the dates indicated. Please avoid all unnecessary trips.

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French Phoenix

The brilliant fighting qualities displayed by the French troops at Bir Hacheim are being demonstrated anew in the present fighting in Italy. Entrusted with an important and difficult section in the Cassino area, the French and North African troops under General Juin have distinguished themselves. Theirs has been the honor of opening the first important gap in the Gustav Line by capturing two key strong points—the town of Castelforte and Monte Maio.

The symbolic as well as the practical significance of the French action in Italy can hardly be exaggerated. It was four years ago next month that France went down to defeat under circumstances that left deep scars on the minds and hearts of democratic Frenchmen everywhere. The sense of humiliation was great, and everything that the Vichy regime has done since has only intensified that feeling. Fortunately there were Frenchmen who not only refused to accept the armistice—that was probably true of a great many inside France—but were also in a position to continue the fight against Nazi tyranny. They have nobly acquitted themselves. Now they stand shoulder to shoulder with Americans, Englishmen, New Zealanders, Indians, Poles and other Allied units in a campaign which marks the opening stage in the final struggle against the Wehrmacht.

It must be an inspiring moment for Frenchmen everywhere. As Lieut. Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of the Fifth Army, declared in a communication to Gen. Alphonse-Pierre Juin, the French commander, the French troops in Italy are "proving to an anxiously awaiting France that the French army has returned, sacred to its finest fighting traditions." What has been done in Italy is an earnest of what will be done in France. In France there is another army of Frenchmen, a silent army, an army recruited under the very eyes of the Germans. Four years ago France was drinking the dregs of defeat and betrayal. France now awaits the hour of liberation, not passively but as a full-fledged participant in the common struggle. We share France's pride in French arms in Italy. There is a France.

Forty-Eight Hours

An editorial of April 18 that was inspired by the issuance of a WMC order making a 48-hour week mandatory for the cotton textile industry has brought down on our heads sharp criticism. Our unflattering reference to the Government's procrastination in applying the longer work-week to this industry was interpreted as an unjustified attack upon its managerial heads. It was also assumed that we were unaware of the complexity of the problems confronting the industry. As a matter of fact, it was not our intention to criticize the industry, as we think any dispassionate reader of the editorial would agree. Quoting the Department of Commerce as authority, we merely cited some of the factors accounting for the continuance of the relatively short working week in the textile industry, such as the necessity of having to pay penalty rates for overtime.

Obviously if production costs rise disproportionately with the lengthening of the working week, opposition to its extension is to be expected. That is merely a fact. It is not a criticism of management but rather an implied criticism of the rigidity of the Government-imposed conditions under which the industry is compelled to operate. Undoubtedly some textile mills have been deterred from introducing 48-hour shifts because of the higher rates payable for overtime. That has been authoritatively confirmed. It is further supported by a recent survey conducted by the *New York Journal of Commerce* among Southern textile mills. A number of manufacturers who were interrogated emphasized the extra costs of the longer working week. The head of one large company said it had cost $65,000 monthly during the past year in extra expenses to keep up 48-hour three-shift operations. He warned other mills to be prepared to face proportionate costs. Some mills stated that their position was such that they could afford only the minimum of overtime work required of them. In other cases, as we had noted in our editorial, bottlenecks in a particular department have precluded longer working hours for other departments of mills. In still other cases mills are already operating on the 48-hour week

There are, we hasten to add, all sorts of difficulties that slow down output or prevent more intensive utilization of the labor force of individual mills. Nevertheless, we take for granted that there is room for some increase in working time; otherwise the WMC would not have issued its 48-hour order. Naturally longer hours are not a cure-all for underproduction. Some mills complain that longer hours result in increased absenteeism; that, of course, is a serious reflection on the caliber of the workers in such mills. There is also widespread complaint that OPA price ceilings have allowed inadequate profit margins for certain types of textile products. The mills are also confronted by higher costs of cotton and higher unit labor costs as a result of the loss of their skilled men to the services and also to industries paying higher wages. The fact that we did not mention the innumerable problems confronting the industry in an editorial on the 48-hour week was due to limitations of space and of subject matter, not to ignorance of their existence, nor to a failure to appreciate their importance.

Windbagism

Proponents of the anti-poll-tax bill made a very poor showing in the Senate yesterday. Majority Leader Barkley had drawn the issue in unmistakable terms when he told the Senate that the bill could never be brought to a vote without cloture. In the face of that unquestioned fact, proponents mustered only 36 votes for cloture to 44 against. A two-thirds vote was needed to limit debate; only a few more than one-third of the Senate lined up for that cause.

While the first vote yesterday was solely on the question of limiting debate, it became in effect a vote on the anti-poll-tax bill. Everyone knew that the Senate would not dare to go ahead with a lengthy filibuster in wartime—that if the cloture petition were defeated, the bill would have to be laid aside. Indeed, the Senate hastened to displace the bill by a vote of 41 to 35 as soon as the road for unlimited debate had been cleared. This fact leads us to suspect that many of those who were committed to vote for this unconstitutional bill, if the voting stage should ever be reached, were delighted to scuttle it in the name of unlimited debate.

We are pleased to know that the bill has once more been defeated, but we think that the method used to dispatch it is far beneath the dignity of the Senate. If it is true that a number of Senators used the bill as political flypaper to attract votes, and then gladly killed it by voting against cloture, that is a sad commentary on their integrity. If, on the other hand, they were wholly sincere in believing that the bill should pass, and yet clung to the hoary prejudice against limiting debate, the outlook is probably even more disturbing. For that would indicate that the Senate is mentally enslaved by a tradition which now stands as a grave menace to democratic government.

Yesterday it was only a dubious anti-poll-tax bill that went down before the insatiable god of unlimited debate. Tomorrow, as Senator Pepper pointed out, it may be the peace treaty. That is the really disturbing aspect of the spectacle just witnessed in the Senate. Its members are still clinging to the usages of the horse-and-buggy days in the midst of total war. Even on an issue that has been debated *ad nauseum*, the Senate refuses to prescribe any reasonable limit to its stream of talk. We cannot dispel the fear that this is an evil portent for the future of democracy, quite apart from the nature of the bill the Senate has used to reassert its devotion to the principle of windbagism.

AFL's Friends

When American Federation of Labor President William Green indorsed Representative Martin Dies for renomination, his union brethren in southeast Texas responded with three rousing jeers. This had a good deal to do, in all probability, with Mr. Dies' eleventh hour withdrawal from the race. We cannot escape a fervent hope that Mr. Green's indorsement of such unregenerate isolationists as Senator Gerald Nye and Illinois Representative-at-large Stephen Day will prove equally ineffectual among AFL constituents.

In conferring the federation's blessing upon candidates of this character, Mr. Green lays himself open to a charge of either reckless self-interest or consummate naivete. If he supports these men solely on the ground that they have voted consistently for legislation sponsored or desired by the AFL, then he stands convicted of applying an altogether inadequate yardstick to them. Certainly the American public is entitled to expect a higher degree of responsibility and patriotism from a national labor organization. Certainly the members of the AFL are entitled to expect somewhat broader statesmanship from their national leaders.

It is true, of course, that Martin Dies attacked the CIO. Is this what led Mr. Green to look upon him as a true friend of the AFL? The rank and file were too sensible to be taken in by such spurious logic. Messrs. Nye and Day, to be sure, voted in accordance with AFL wishes on certain specific issues. It can scarcely be said, however, that their views on international affairs harmonize with the long-term interests of American labor. They are opposed to all the basic hopes which the AFL has expressed in regard to the postwar world.

Mr. Green has done very little, in making indorsements such as these, to enhance the prestige of the organization over which he presides. He has rendered one service, however—a fresh demonstration that the labor vote cannot be delivered *en bloc* by any labor politician. Workers will, of course, vote for particular candidates when they are persuaded on reasonable grounds by their national leadership that such action will advance their own genuine interests and the general welfare of the Nation. But they will not accept the capricious dictates of any union boss. Workers are motivated primarily by their status as American citizens.

Note In A Woodpile

On Sunday the Soviet newspapers were confidently asserting that the recent conversations at Moscow between Premier Stalin and the Rev. Father Orlemanski of Springfield, Mass., had opened the way for an understanding between the Kremlin and the Vatican as regards religion not only in Russia and Poland but also in Hungary. This, of course, was before news had reached Moscow that Father Orlemanski had been silenced, suspended and otherwise punished by his bishop. Even so, speculation for speculation's sake has never been a characteristic of the Soviet press. Thus the ostensible implication was that the Kremlin would like nothing better than a *modus vivendi* or possibly even a concordat with the Catholic Church, and is prepared to make rather generous concessions.

We grant that the implication is not altogether easy to square with circumstances other than the silencing of the Springfield priest. There was a rather bitter attack which appeared several weeks ago in the Soviet organ *Izvestia* on the Catholic Church. About the same time the new Russian Orthodox Patriarch suddenly gave voice to a repudiation of the Catholic tenet which holds the Pope to be chief bishop of the Universal Church and "the Vicar of Christ on earth." The Patriarch's statements were warmly indorsed by the Anglican Archbishop of York, then in New York.

Now it is a well-known matter of history that Orthodox Church of the East and the Roman Catholic Church have been divided on this question of the Papal primacy for something like 11 centuries. Just why, then, did the Patriarch drag it up at this time and why did the Soviet censors allow it to be sent out? And by what means, and for what reasons, were the Patriarch's words, originally published in the Moscow Church Bulletin, brought to the attention of the foreign correspondents in Russia so that they would be sent out all over the world? And why does Moscow blow now hot, now cold on the subject of Catholicism?

All that can be suggested by way of answer is that the question of religion is very intimately bound up in the intricate and labyrinthine diplomacy and cross-diplomacy now going on behind the curtain of censorship, propaganda and, we suspect, deliberate deception.

Ban On Books

New York City, not to be outdone by Boston, has now developed a book-banning case of its own. The New England center of culture and enlightenment decided not long ago that its residents were not yet mature enough to cope with Lillian Smith's new novel, *Strange Fruit*. And in the great metropolis of the Eastern seaboard there is doubt that the citizenry is sufficiently adult to peruse *The First Lady Chatterley*, by D. H. Lawrence.

There is a difference between the two cities. In Boston a book is adjudged guilty until it is proved innocent. Mr. Bernard De Voto, himself a thoroughly grown-up, sophisticated student and practitioner of *belles lettres*, was arrested in the stronghold of the Brahmins for purchasing a copy of *Strange Fruit*. In New York, however, censors must prove that a book is immoral before it can be banned. A Mr. John S. Sumner, secretary of the New York Society for the Suppression of Vice, has charged that there are obscene passages on 92 pages of *The First Lady Chatterley*.

Of the two procedures, New York's seems to us to be greatly preferable. But in either community the decision as to whether a book ought to be available to the general public is left to the judgment of a minor judicial authority. This comes pretty close, we think, to a licensing of books—something which the Constitution expressly forbids. We doubt that the protection of tender minds, which is undoubtedly the purpose of this sort of censorship, is worth the jeopardy in which it places the most fundamental of our freedoms.

We are very much inclined to doubt, too, that censorship of this sort is at all effective in promoting the morality it extols. To charge a book with obscenity is to titillate prurient or adolescent minds respecting it and very likely to enlarge its circulation. To ban its sale is certain to create a bootleg market and consequently to lessen respect for governmental authority in general. Respecting the literary merits of the two novels in question we have no opinions. We are quite content to leave such matters to the literary critics. The watchers and warders and suppressors of vice would be altogether well advised, we fancy, if they would do the same. Or else hire themselves out as press agents for publishers.

TO WATCH

Look hard, heart, through the glass
(Dripping with fog, crusted with stormy spray)
Over the the edge of Time, over that is surely now the last
Towering reef-flung wave.
There! There beyond the strained eye
(Longing sniffing the warm sweet scent
Of grasses and ripe fruit, waiting
The gull with seaweed in its beak)
There, beautiful and unsullied.
Wrapped in sun, lyric with bird song and the melody
Of the fountain bubbling, bubbling,
Lies the New World:
The bright miraculous world
Of all tomorrow!

KATHLEEN SUTTON

Heinrich Himmler

By Paul Winkler

Population Builder

REPORTS FROM ALL parts of the German Reich report an intensification of marriage propaganda—which is sometimes more exactly propaganda for an increased birth rate, with marriage taking a secondary role. Curiously, it may seem at first sight, the director of this policy is Heinrich Himmler, head of the Gestapo.

It is easier to understand how the dread director of the secret police also finds himself in the position of marriage broker if one recalls his avocation of younger days. A Diplom-Landwirt at an agricultural college of Bavaria, Himmler interested himself particularly in chicken and cattle breeding. An expert on the breeding of cattle, he is applying the same principles to the breeding of humans.

The object is quite as calculating and quite as foreign to human sensibilities as are the principle of animal breeding to those of human love and marriage—in countries of higher ideals than are exemplified in the Nazi Reich. Himmler is preparing for the next war. The potential enemies of Germany are being pursued into the next generation, which is being deliberately weakened by intentional underfeeding (to cause deaths and physical weakness in the children now growing up), by the detention of millions of prisoners and foreign workers away from their homes (to prevent births in their own countries) and by mass killings. While the populations of neighboring countries are thus being systematically destroyed, Himmler is simultaneously attempting to build up the German race by producing enough births to make up for war losses, and by guarding the health of German children as that of the unfortunate youngsters of the occupied countries is never guarded.

Thus Himmler's wholesale breeding tactics, applied to the human race, operate in both negative and positive fashion.

Official Marriage Bureaus

Recently a "Correspondence Center of the Reich League of the German Family" was inaugurated in Dresden under Himmler's supervision. The original idea was that it would bring men and women together solely by correspondence, but the number of letters it received decided Himmler to set up marriage bureaus in various centers, where soldiers on leave might meet prospective brides. The first such center has now been opened in Munich. It is not unlike an American canteen in surface appearance, but the important difference is that whereas American canteens exercise the strictest supervision over girls accepted as hostesses, the German canteen is operated for the express purpose of throwing girls into the soldiers' arms. The music, and entertainment provided is only a means to that end, and the organization hastens to provide medical examinations and go through the rigamarole of "genealogical research" to establish the racial purity of prospective brides and bridegrooms through generations past, in order to promote marriages.

The Quisling Nazi groups in occupied countries, which are completely under Himmler's control, are now being given similar institutions. The Dutch Nazi Party, for instance, recently opened "An Association for Racial Purification," with headquarters in The Hague. A Dutch underground newspaper, reporting on this agency, stated that the circular sent out to prospective members for the new organization noted, in exactly the same terms as the catalogue of a stock-breeding farm, that the office had a number of young women and widows available.

Marriage Unnecessary

German soldiers in occupied countries have been encouraged to have illegitimate children by native girls—but discouraged from marrying them. Marriages cut both ways. The husband might conceivably become indoctrinated by his wife, instead of the other way around. So what Himmler prefers is that the children of German soldiers should be brought to Germany, to be reared by the father's family, or, if he is married, by his wife, as a little Nazi. Thus the German population gains one member, and the occupied country from which it comes loses one. Special organizations handle this ruthless business of separating children from their mothers. In Norway, for instance, the SS sponsors an office known romantically as the "Source of Life," which might more properly be called Bureau for Kidnaping. Its function is to examine the case of each illegitimate child of a German soldier in Norway, and decide whether the offspring is desirable enough to be taken from its mother and shipped off to Germany.

Himmler has constantly stimulated the German population to produce illegitimate children, though public indignation has occasionally obliged him to take backwater. Thus in his Christmas speech of 1939 he said, "Beyond the limits of bourgeois laws and customs, which ordinarily are probably necessary, it can become an exalted task, even out of wedlock, for German girls and women of good blood to become the mothers of children begotten by soldiers moving to the front without knowing whether they will return or die for the fatherland—not frivolously, but from the deepest principles of morality."

The Curtain-Raiser

By Barnet Nover

Battle Of Italy—Battle Of Rome

IT IS ESTIMATED that the Germans have 25 divisions spread out in Italy between the Brenner Pass and the Gustav Line, the greatest concentration, of course, being in the south.

In Belgium, the Netherlands and France the Germans are believed to have a nucleus of between 50 and 60 divisions to whom has been assigned the task of cushioning the initial invasion blows wherever they may fall.

In other words, the German high command has committed to the Italian front, a secondary front at best, not much less than half of the force it has in what is soon about to become the main western theater.

THE FORCE which the Germans maintained in Italy, disproportionately large as it has been in view of the Reich's serious shortage in manpower, has not been successful in dislodging the Allies from their Italian foothold, not even at the exposed Anzio beachhead. It was large enough, however, to hold the Allies at bay over a period of many weeks.

In this respect Hitler's investment of men and material in Italy temporarily justified itself. Aside from the strategic disadvantages that would have resulted from an Allied advance to the Brenner, the psychological impact of such a retreat on the people of Germany and the peoples of the satellite states might have proved disastrous.

But that investment could only be justified in long-range terms, if it tied up so large an Allied force in the south as to deprive the Allies of men they needed to make the coming invasion a success.

Furthermore, Hitler could argue that, once that invasion had begun, the Italian Front would become even more of a secondary theater than ever, the stalemate would be perpetuated and it would then be possible to move a good part of the German forces in Italy to more active areas.

THE ALLIED offensive in Italy suggests that Hitler's Italian gamble may turn out to be a disaster.

In the first place, it must be assumed, and the Germans have no choice but to assume, that the Allied force in Italy represents excess manpower that is not directly needed for the coming invasion.

Secondly, a collapse of the German defensive position in Italy would have all the strategically dangerous consequences that Hitler feared when he reacted violently to the Allied invasion of the peninsula. It would give the Allies airfields even closer to south Germany and Austria than they already possess. It would place them in a position from which to increase their pressure on the Balkans.

So instead of being in a position to withdraw divisions from Italy to the west coast of Europe, the German high command may be forced to send reinforcements to Kesselring to enable him to hold his lines. And should that be the only consequence of the present Allied offensive it would have gone a long way to justify itself.

IN THE MEANTIME the psychological consequences of that offensive are to be taken into account.

The Germans are now under notice that the Allies are so powerful today that, at a time when they are preparing to carry out an operation of enormous magnitude in the west they have a sufficient surplus of manpower and material to engage in sideline ventures.

Both the German people and the high command must now consider it a possibility that when the Allied plan is fully enfolded the German armies will be fighting not on two fronts, which would be bad enough, but on three or four or more fronts.

THOSE TWENTY-FIVE divisions which Hitler has kept in Italy must now be kept there. And the Allies are determined that there they will remain.

Aside from the front assault on the Gustav Line, now achieving some measure of success, there is the aerial assault on communications in Italy, including the crippling of the route from Germany to the peninsula via the Brenner. The blocking of the entries into Italy means the blocking, also, of the exits.

The offensive in Italy is therefore, no eccentric operation but an integral part of Allied pre-invasion strategy, linked up with the bombing of German communications in Western Europe, the Russian preparations for an offensive on the Eastern Front and the attrition of the Luftwaffe. The Battle of Europe has begun.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

The Word "Invasion"

That was a fine editorial in today's Post on the inadequacy of the word "invasion" to describe impending events in Europe.

You will be glad to know that the script writers and cable wireless writers of the OWI overseas service have been under standing instructions, reaffirmed repeatedly in recent months, to use "liberation" and similar words instead of "invasion" in referring to landings in enemy-occupied countries. This applies to all our output from New York as well as to the broadcasts from our new American broadcasting station in Europe, located in Britain. ELMER DAVIS,
Director of War Information.
Washington, May 15.

"Polish Propagandists"

For several years I have been a faithful reader of The Post and have appreciatel its high standards of fairness. Permits me regretfully to say that I was shocked by your editorial "Polish Propagandists" in the May 11 issue of The Post which struck me as a departure from the usual fairness of your paper.

It is not my intention to enter into polemics with the author of this editorial, the tone of which is one of intolerant criticism of Poland and her government. I am glad to say that the assertion in the editorial alleging the existence of a "strain between the United States and one of our Allies, Poland," is unfounded. The Polish government has always most sincerely worked to develop and to strengthen the traditional ties of friendship existing between our two countries, and both the Polish government and the Polish people, suffering under the Nazi yoke in Poland, certainly regard the principles declared by the President of the United States and accepted by all the United Nations as the basic war aims for which they are fighting and suffering. Poland's faith in these principles explains her indomitable resistance to the inhuman pressure to which she is being subjected by Germany for nearly five years.

The Polish government and its representatives in the United States do not meddle in American internal affairs or politics nor do they encourage or condone any such tendency on the part of Polish citizens now enjoying American hospitality. The small group of Polish refugee writers whose work your editorial condemns, implying that its activities may be linked with the Polish government or its representatives in the United States, is in fact composed of persons who have steadfastly and openly been in opposition to the Polish government. Therefore any attempt to link the activities of this group with the Polish government is unjustified and out of place.

All employes of the Polish information services in this country are duly registered as such under American law and confine their activities solely to informing American public opinion on Polish matters and take no part in American politics.

The representatives of the Polish government and all Polish government agents in the United States regard the Americans of Polish descent as Americans and not as Poles. It appears natural that, on account of their Polish ancestry, these Americans show a close interest in the fate of Poland—the country of their origin. Neither the Polish government nor its representatives attempt to influence nor could they influence them to act in a way inconsistent with their deeprooted Americanism and patriotism. J. CIECHANOWSKI.
Ambassador of Poland.
Washington, May 12.

Meaning Of "Chung"

It seems queer to me that nobody shows any curiosity concerning the meaning of "Chung," first syllable in the name of Chungking, capital of China under the regime of the Oriental republic's President Chiang Kai-shek, now at the helm against Axisism in that global quarter.

Anybody who ever lived in China ought to know what "king" means.

Peking, for instance? Or Nanking? Why so many "kings" in the important cities' classification? You naturally wonder and inquire.

Your questions are easy for any Chinaman to answer.

"King" in Chinese means capital. "Pe" means north. "Nan" means south. Peking and Nanking? Northern and southern capitals. Take a squint at a map and you'll see the point in a minute.

Well, in due course, the Chinese were chased out of both those capitals.

Then, as a substitute for "Pe" and "Nan" they picked "Chung."

I will tell you what it means. I called up the Chinese Embassy and investigated. It means "Another," an "Alternative" or a "Different" capital.

I think these things ought to be investigated.

CHARLES P. STEWART.
Washington, May 10.

Renegotiation Agencies

Your editorial of May 12 on the nomination of Mr. Forrestal contains, in addition to the well-deserved praises of Mr. Forrestal, some kind remarks about the renegotiation agencies which have reported to him as Undersecretary. I want to express our appreciation for what you have said. A few words of this sort circulate quickly through the whole organization and help a great deal in maintaining morale in what is, after all, a difficult and disagreeable task.

LAIRD BELL,
Chairman, Price Adjustment Board.
Navy Department.
Washington, May 13.

Housing Act

In the May 11 issue of The Post Representative Frederick C. Smith (R. Ohio), is quoted as stating that the United States Housing Act is "a grossly dishonest piece of legislation." Your story doesn't carry any explanation from Mr. Smith as to why the act is dishonest. Without any apparent connection with this charge of dishonesty, Mr. Smith then calls "the housing scheme . . . a part of the challenge of communism." Elsewhere he is quoted as saying that "the amount of communism involved in this public housing scheme is measured by the number of homes it places in the ownership of the State."

According to this reasoning, every time a postoffice is built, we get some more communism in the United States. The Army, Navy and other armed forces and all their vast equipment should be immediately liquidated or should be called "the Communist Army of the United States." The greatest collectivist in American history, I suppose, is Jesse Jones, Secretary of Commerce and head of Defense Plant Corporation and other enterprises. He is closely paced by those other great Communists, the late Secretary of Navy Knox, General Somervell, Secretary of War Stimson and others who expanded the Government's armed forces. If they were not Communists, Mr. Smith could logically argue, wouldn't they have turned each battleship, each cannon, each field kitchen to a private owner or corporation?

There are a lot of war workers in Mr. Smith's home district. He has had abundant opportunity to see how the public housing program has helped the war program by providing some shelter to the hundreds of thousands of war workers who came into the Eighth District of Ohio, and other war centers, and for whom public housing was the only housing.

The old red-herring looks and smells bad, generally. This one looks especially bad because it is obviously meant to divert our attention from the well-planned and well-financed plot to kill public housing. And, I might add, turn over existing housing, for a song, to private interests.

We wonder, by the way, how a newspaper as serious as The Post could feature such a ridiculous charge as that made by Representative Smith with a dead-pan headline "Housing Act Is Declared Communistic."

RICHARD T. FRANKENSTEEN,
Vice president, UAM-CIO.
Washington, May 11.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

The Race Horse Speaks

I

My front legs ache all over,
My hind ones do the same;
In every joint and muscle
I'm feeling very lame;
I'm in a race on Monday,
And in one Wednesday—too.
And in another Friday——
If bandages come through!

II

I'm in a sprint on one day—
Then comes a distance race;
I doubt if any broncho
Could stand the awful pace;
I'm shipped around so often
By train and boat and van,
I know more towns and crossings
Than any railroad man.

III

I'm doctored, nursed and fussed with
So much before each race
That rather than a race horse
I am a "clinic case;"
It's years since I was nimble,
Or supple, whole and sound;
It's long since I was normal
But still I'm shipped around.

IV

My mind has long been faulty——
I have a twisted knee;
One hip is dislocated
But still they enter me;
My starboard eye is sightless
I'm spavined front and rear.
But I'll be in the race charts
For 12 months in the year.

V

You'll find me at Jamaica,
And then at Rockingham;
I'll bleed at Narragansett—
Fall in a Bowie jam;
At Suffolk you will see me
(If far behind you look)—
And Sportsmen's Park and Belmont—
I know 'em like a book.

VI

I'm weak and old and weary
As each new season swings,
But there's this consolation—
I'm in "The Sport of Kings!!!"
I'm sore and cracked and ailing
And seldom in the lead
But never mind, they tell me
It helps "Improve the Breed!!"

Can You Remember—

Away back when you could go in for a spare part and get it?

Elmer Twitchell tried to get around that 30 per cent night club tax the other evening by bringing a sandwich and his own entertainer.

Observations

Hitler
Gets littler.
Goering
Is boring.
And Himmler
Is simmler.

The recent Democratic Jefferson Day dinner cost $50 a plate and it is Ima Dodo's conclusion that they must have had an extra large pot of coffee with it.

Mahatma Gandhi is free and it probably upsets his whole scheme of life.

Today and Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Lest We Forget

THERE ARE current in this country many popular fables, quite contrary to the historic record, about how the last war ended. They are very serious obstacles to clear thinking about an effective settlement of this one. One of these fables is that the victorious Allies disarmed and demilitarized Germany, and that then somehow, because the French were unreasonable, or the reparations demanded were too big, or the United States did not join the League, Hitler managed to restore German military power and to renew the war 20 years later on a scale greater than the Kaiser ever dreamed of. I hasten to say that I shared all these illusions at the time, and that it is by no means easy even now to find out what really happened. A good history of the last war has yet to be written.

LIPPMANN

But startling as it may seem, the truth is that while Germany was partially disarmed after the armistice of 1918, she was not demilitarized. It was only on the insistence of General Pershing and General Bliss that President Wilson, who had British support, modified his view that the German army be allowed to evacuate the occupied territory, and retire intact behind the frontiers of the Reich. The terms adopted were those of Marshal Foch, and they were a compromise between Wilson's view and that of Pershing and Bliss: the industrial regions up to the Rhine were to be occupied, and Germany was to deliver about one-third of her cannon, half her machine guns and about two-thirds of her planes.

WE KNOW NOW from the publication of Wilson's papers that Wilson did not wish to disarm Germany altogether. His disciples always identify Wilson's name with opposition to the doctrine of the balance of power, which indeed Wilson did denounce. But, as the Ray Stannard Baker letters show, his reason for not wishing to disarm Germany completely, as Pershing and Bliss demanded, was that "too much success or security on the part of the Allies will make a genuine peace settlement exceedingly difficult if not impossible."

Wilson's desire to preserve the German army as a means of balancing the power of France was almost certainly shared by Lloyd George. Moreover both Britain and France had their own reason, which Wilson may or may not have shared wholeheartedly, for wishing to preserve some German military power. This was in order to deal with Bolshevik Russia with which they were then waging an undeclared war on several fronts. Thus the armistice imposed on Germany in November, 1918, which called for the immediate retirement of the German armies from occupied territory, contained this exception (Article XII): "All German troops at present in territories which before the war formed part of Russia"—this meant the Baltic states and Finland—"must likewise return to within the frontiers of Germany as above defined *as soon as the Allies shall think the moment suitable, having regard to the internal situation of these territories.*"

This German army, commanded by General von der Goltz, operated in Finland and in the Baltic region under Allied authority until September, 1919, for 10 months after the supposed disarmament of Germany. When they were supposed to desist and disappear, General von der Goltz arranged to have his officers cease to be "German" and to continue as a "Russian army."

IN OTHER WORDS the Allies did not even attempt to destroy German militarism. What they did was to take away part of the German army's obsolescent weapons, and to demobilize it partially. But the core of the army, which was the caste of the professional officers and non-coms, was left undisturbed. It was they who created the present Germany army, and prepared the plans of mobilization and the strategy for this war.

As a result of investigations made by the German Reichstag in the early days of the German Republic, we have reasonably reliable official data on this crucial point. During the first World War the German army had an aggregate of 45,923 active officers of which 11,357 were killed. Half of all these officers were professionals, the rest what we should call reserve officers. The higher the rank the greater, of course, was the proportion of professionals. In the army which the treaty allowed the republic to maintain, there were 4000 army and 1500 naval officers. These 5500 officers were almost entirely drawn from the professionals. Moreover many others belonged to what was known as the Black Reichswehr, and continued to work more or less secretly with their professional colleagues. Then too, a large number of demobilized professional officers were enrolled in the police. It is reliably estimated that out of some 23,000 professional officers left in 1918, 8-10,000 continued in military activities.

It is also interesting to note that at the end of the 1920's, in the years just before Hitler, over 80 per cent of the officers corps were drawn from old military families or from families connected with the higher civil service in the monarchical regime. Less than 5 per cent were drawn from the middle and lower classes.

THIS HISTORY and these facts remind us that we must not confuse the task of *disarming* the present Germany army with the task of *demilitarizing* Germany. We might do well to paste them in our hats.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Put that good top soil right back in the garden!"

Standpat Senate

By Merlo Pusey

Bloom's Fight On Two-Thirds Rule

CHAIRMAN BLOOM of the House Foreign Affairs Committee has launched an open campaign to democratize our treaty-making machinery. He will wait no longer for the hide-bound Senate to reform itself. That appears to be sound judgment. If our peace-making system is to be modernized, apparently the House, the States and the people will have to do it.

PUSEY

Members of the House have been reluctant in the past to demand a share in the treaty-making power. They have hoped in vain that the Senate would see the light and itself take the lead to wipe out the arrangement which makes it possible for a handful of recalcitrants to hamstring international policies approved by the majority. But months have passed and the Senate Judiciary Committee has not so much as scheduled hearings on the Gillette resolutions for modification of the two-thirds rule.

Obviously, then, the standpat Senate must be prodded. What prods shall be used? Chairman Bloom has given us a good example of what the House can do. The House is deprived of a share in policy making in a field that now promises to be our major national concern in the years just ahead. It has good cause to cry to high heaven against the discriminatory vestige in the Constitution which makes this possible.

Following up the devastating logic of Representative Bloom's 14 points, the House can pass a resolution proposing amendment of the Constitution so as to make treaties effective when approved by majority votes in both branches of Congress. Members of the House can also unite in demanding planks in the platforms of the two major parties pledging modernization of our treaty-ratifying system. Then, of course, they could carry their campaign to the people.

THE STATES also can make their influence felt. For example, the Democratic State Convention in North Carolina recently adopted a plank calling for a constitutional amendment to redistribute the power of approving treaties between the House and Senate. Still more direct action can be taken by State Legislatures. They can petition the Senate to act. They can even set the machinery for amendment of the Constitution in motion and by-pass the standpat Senate.

The founding fathers did not give Congress sole power to start the process of bringing the Constitution into line with the current demands of the Nation. On application by the Legislatures of two-thirds of the several States Congress is required to call a convention for proposing amendments. That right has not been used in the past, but there is no reason why it should not be used now if the obstinate Senate resists the popular demand for modernization of our peace system.

It is no answer to these demands to say that the present system had served us fairly well until Senator Lodge went on the rampage following the first World War. The Department of State once made an estimate that of 969 treaties submitted between 1789 and 1934, 682 were accepted by the Senate, 173 were amended and 15 rejected. That would seem to be a fair record, except for the Wilson-Lodge fiasco for which the two men appear to be about equally responsible.

THE SIGNIFICANT point is, however, that the treaty-making function has now become infinitely more important than it was throughout the century and a quarter before World War I. Today our relations with the rest of the world are so close that treaty making is of a piece with legislation. There is no reason to consider it as a function apart. As a matter of fact, it is impossible to draw a line between the intermeshed affairs of the United States and the United Nations and say that what is on one side is domestic and what is on the other side is international.

The inescapable fact is that domestic and international interests meet in one comprehensive national policy, and that policy ought to be the product of a meeting of minds on the part of the President, the Senate and the House. It is not only undemocratic but also dangerously unrealistic to set aside a segment of that policy-making function and say that within this area a minority may cast the deciding vote. The House, the States and the people have a good cause, and the Senate will not be able to stand against them if they marshal their resources wisely.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Question of Censorship

TWO INCIDENTS have thrown into sharp focus the whole question of censorship. They come, unfortunately, on the eve of the greatest test of arms in history, when the public need for confidence is greatest.

CHILDS

The Associated Press has had an important interview with Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia, held up by censorship in the Mediterranean theater. It is admitted that no military security is involved. It's purely a political story that has been held back.

When the interview was bottled up in Algiers, the AP promptly appealed to the War Department here. All that could be done, of course, was for authorities on this side to "suggest" that the matter be considered, since a theater commander is supreme in his theater. I understand that such a "suggestion" was made, but so far without results.

The earlier incident had to do with an article about General MacArthur, submitted by Harper's Magazine to the War Department for review several months ago. Here again no direct military security was involved.

THE AUTHOR OF the MacArthur article was a British correspondent who had served in the southwest Pacific. The article is said to have pointed out the subordinate role forced on the Australians by General MacArthur. The War Department felt that it reflected on MacArthur's military ability at a time when important operations were about to be launched.

Harper's, in an editorial, complained that MacArthur, a candidate for President, was being shielded from political criticism. A day or two later the General—apparently with strong prompting from the War Department—withdrew as a presidential candidate.

There may have been valid reasons for holding up the MacArthur piece, although as a working newspaperman I find it hard to see why. There surely can be no justification for suppressing the Tito interview.

It becomes increasingly clear that the news we've been getting out of the Mediterranean theater, under Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson, the supreme Allied commander, is meager indeed. Stories are beginning to come back. These stories, dealing with errors of omission and commission on the Italian fronts, are well known to correspondents on the scene.

They cannot be sent because of censorship. Perhaps some of these stories should be held back. They might make for dissension or they might impair confidence.

This last, however, seems to me to raise a vital question. The American public can take bad news as well as good. The trouble with bottling up reports of failures and mistakes is that sooner or later they come out anyway and often they look far worse than they would have if they'd been immediately released.

WHAT HAPPENED at Anzio and Cassino before the present big push began is being thoroughly studied by our military men. They intend to profit by that experience. Isn't it just possible, however, that these lessons would be more impressive if they were more widely known and discussed?

Particularly unfortunate is the fact that the Mediterranean censorship comes on the heels of a definite change in policy by the War Department here. After several incidents of news suppression had come to light military authorities ordered release of virtually all news that did not directly involve military security.

Since then a half dozen stories have been given out that would have been sat on under the former policy. And because they were released through normal channels—the sinking of a PT-boat by one of our own planes is a case in point—they cause no great stir.

From every theater we should get all the news that will not in any way aid the enemy. We should not be spoofed as though we could not stand the facts of war.

Plant to Make Wood Alcohol Of Wastes Approved by WPB

By Ben W. Gilbert

War Production Chief Donald M. Nelson yesterday approved construction of a $2,247,000 plant to make alcohol from wood wastes near Eugene, Oreg., "as a form of national insurance against any future raw materials shortages."

The action reversed a previous WPB ruling against the project taken while Nelson was on vacation. It marked a new departure for WPB since the agency has in the past declined to authorize large plant construction projects which are not directly and immediately tied into the war effort.

Nelson said, "The Oregon plant presumably could not be brought into operation before the spring of next year and therefore could not make any immediate contribution to the war effort."

The action marked the third decision by Nelson reversing actions taken by subordinates during his vacation.

It was also announced yesterday that the original program to manufacture two million electric irons this year could be completed without interference with the war effort. During Nelson's absence, it had been announced that production of only 200,000 electric irons could be authorized because additional production could not be allowed because of the manpower situation.

As of yesterday, quotas for the production of 769,338 electric irons had been issued, WPB said.

Another reversal by Nelson involved Vice Chairman L. R. Boulware's Staff Memorandum No. 42 which froze out new civilian production in labor shortage areas. The modification recently announced by Nelson authorized small manufacturers to engage in civilian production in shortage areas.

The process for using wood wastes to make alcohol could be expanded into a program to make 100 million gallons of alcohol a year, Nelson said. The Oregon plant, a project of the Willamette Valley Wood Chemical Co., is expected to have a capacity of 4,100,000 gallons a year. Feed and food grains, sugars and petroleum form the basis of the Nation's present record 611-million-gallon alcohol program, WPB said.

The value of the project lies chiefly in establishing the practicability and efficient design of additional plants, Nelson said. Additional plants would be unable to provide substantial production before 1946, Nelson said.

WPB officials said that there is little question about the ultimate ability of the Willamette Valley plant to produce alcohol in commercial amouns, but they said it must be anticipated that some difficulties may be encountered in early operations. Pilot plant experiments have ben conducted by the Office of Production Research and Development of the War Production Board.

The process to be employed is an adaptation of the Scholler process successfully used in Germany.

Farmer Badley Hurt In Tractor Mishap

Leesburg, Va., May 14 (Spl.).—Thomas Campbell, 37, farmer and landowner, was brought to the Loudoun County Hospital about noon today suffering from burns received when gasoline ignited as he was starting a tractor that was restored to its upright position after it had overturned.

Mr. Campbell went to the assistance of an employe on the farm of his brother, John N. Campbell, near Waterford, who had been plowing when the tractor upset. He was taken to the hospital by a passerby, where it was found he had been badly burned about the face, hands and abdomen.

G. A. R. Picks Des Moines

Des Moines, May 15 (AP).—The national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic will be held in Des Moines the week of September 10, it was announced today by the Iowa G. A. R. office.

Kensington Club To Mark 20th Year

Twentieth anniversary of the Women's Community Club of Kensington, Md., will be celebrated today at the annual breakfast of the club at Hayden Farm, Silver Spring, at 12:30 p. m.

Eight of the past presidents are expected to attend. Mrs. Fayette Warner is chairman of arrangements and the president-elect, Mrs. W. B. Wells, will preside. The club history will be read by Mrs. Jack Lewis.

Col. Houston Quits OPA Post aFor Army; Phillips Named

Colonel Bryan Houston, deputy administrator for rationing, yesterday resigned from the OPA and returned to military duty.

Simultaneous with his resignation Chester Bowles, OPA Administrative, announced that Colonel Houston would be succeeded by Charles F. Phillips, who had been Director of the Automotive Supply Rationing Division.

"With the stepping up of America's military efforts in both the Far East and in Europe", OPA stated the War Department informed Chester Bowles that Colonel Houston is now urgently needed for military duty. He is a member of the General Staff.

"We are sorry to lose the splendid services of Colonel Houston," Bowles said, "but the War Department has first call on the service of every citizen, and Colonel Houston's call to military service has been expected."

Colonel Houston, former vice president of Young & Rubican, advertising agency, was assistant director of the purchases division of the A. S. F. when he was loaned to PA November 1 of last year.

The loan was for a three-months' period, ending February 1. At the request of Bowles the War Department extended his services.

Phillips, Houston's successor, took a leading part in developing OPA's rationing program, tires, the OPA said. He was the first to testify in behalf of the OPA before the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, inquiring into the black market.

Both changes were effective yesterday.

Senate Group Recommends School LunchFund

By the Associated Press

A Senate Appropriations Subcommittee voted late yesterday to restore to the Agriculture Department appropriation bill a 50 million-dollar fund for continuation of Federal aid to school lunch programs. The item had been cut from the bill by the House.

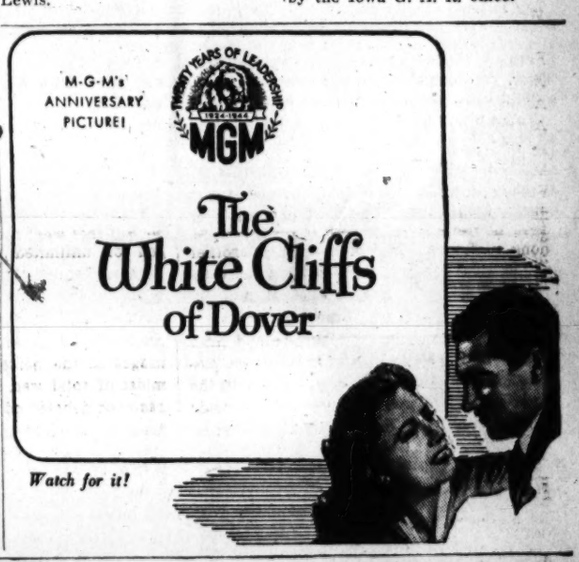
The subcommittee also voted to restore a House-deleted appropriation for the Farm Security Administration, which makes rehabilitation loans to needy farmers.

The Budget Bureau recommended that the FSA get $28,500,000 for administration and $97,500,000 of additional lending authority, but the Senate Subcommittee was reported to have cut the administration fund somewhat. The recommendations will be laid before the full committee today.

Baptist Group Warns of Capital, Labor Enmity

Atlanta, May 15 (AP).—While praising the "forbearance" of management and labor in meeting the war crisis, the Southern Baptist Convention's Social Service Commission today warne dthat "the traditional antagonisms between capital and labor are not dead x x x."

The commission, in a report prepared for the convention's three-day meeting opening tomorrow, declared "only as we have men and women motivated by the Christian ethic in places of leadership in management and labor can we hope for industrial order."



Civil Officers Ready to Move With New European Invaders

By James F. King

Civil affairs officers are ready to move into western Europe with the American and British armies to see that the populations of the invaded countries assist the Allied advance on Berlin, the War Department revealed yesterday.

In "friendly Europe," said John J. McCloy, Assistant Secretary of War and chairman of the Combined Civil Affairs Committee of the combined chiefs of staff, the civil affairs officers will merely maintain contact with the local government or administrative authority to make sure the Army's needs are met. "But when we enter an enemy country," he said, "the civil affairs officers are part of the invasion forces, and they will themselves control the civil administration."

McCloy said the Army was prepared to take whatever steps are necessary to use German labor in support of the Allied drive. The methods, he said, would probably depend upon what areas were occupied and the extent of the German opposition, but he indicated he hoped the Germans would respond freely to local labor needs as did the Italians after the Fascist labor system was abolished by the Allied military government.

AMG Praised

McCloy praised highly the work of the Allied military government in Italy, saying that "the enormous task of bringing order, preventing disease and famine in the wake of battle in one of the most highly concentarted, poverty stricken areas of Europe, has largely been accomplished. And so far as the tactical situation is concerned, it has never been hampered or even threatened by civilian misconduct."

He added that because of the work of the Allied civil affairs organization with the French authorities in North Africa "there has not been a single important act of sabotage against our war program."

McCloy said that in western Europe the civil affairs officers could avoid two mistakes which had been made in Italy: the miscalculation as to the amount of food which would be needed in the occupied areas and the tardiness with which local production was restored. On food, he said, the statisticians had not allowed for the interrelation of the occupied and unoccupied areas. On local production, there was a tendency to try to bring in too much instead of producing it there.

Effect of Muzzled Press

Maj. Gen. John H. Hilldring, head of the Army's Civil Affairs Division, who also participated in the press conference, said the apathy was so great after 20 years of fascism in Italy that when editors in Palermo, Sicilian capital, were told they could print anything they wanted to except matters affecting the security, they insisted on bringing everything to the Allied authorities for prior approval.

McCloy said he believed the German reaction to invading Allied armies would be much tougher than was experienced among the Italians. The German opposition, he said, would undoubtedly go underground and should not be minimized.

Alexandrian's Death Is Held Suicide

A certificate of suicide was issued by Dr. Samuel H. Williams, assistant coroner of Alexandria, in the death of Aubrey Arthur Adams, 42, who died at 9:25 a. m. yesterday of a gunshot wound from a .38-caliber revolver.

Police said Adams had purchased the gun at 9 a. m. at the Bonded Loan Co., 410 King st., and returned to his home at 111 North Fayette st. where his sister, Mrs. William Powell, followed him upstairs and attempted to prevent him from taking his own life.

Norse Get Destroyer

London, May 15 (AP).—The British destroyer HMS Shark was handed over to the Royal Norwegian Navy today, the admiralty announced, and the vessel will be renamed HMS Svenner and be manned entirely by Norwegian personnel.

Canadian Ship Is Sunk; 5 Dead, 121 Missing

Ottawa, May 15 (AP).—The Canadian Frigate Valleyfield has been torpedoed and sunk while on escort duty in the North Atlantic with five dead, 121 missing and 38 survivors, it was announced today.

Built at Quebec, the Valleyfield was commissioned last December and wa sthe first Canadian frigate to be sunk.

OPA Sets Rental Rates For Washing Machines

Weekly rental rates for washing machines have been set at $1.50 for the first week, and $1 for each successive week by the Office of Price Administration. Monthly rentals remain at $4.50 the first month and $3.50 thereafter.

Red Tape to Delay Deferment Of Some Over 30 Essential Men

Men 30 and over engaged in essential activities, regardles of the nature of thei rspecific job, should have little trouble securing deferments under new draft regulations, but some of the applications will run into quite a bit of red tape, is was disclosed yesterda.

The red tape, incidentally, was ordered by Congress.

It applies only to those registrants who are employed in an area outside the jurisdiction of their draft board. By law, nane of these registrants may be deferred unless the deferment request has been rviwd and appoved by a Selective Service apeals board having jurisdiction over the place of employment.

The provision was enacted into law during congressional consideration of measures to ban the drafting of fathers. The purpose was to make it difficult for men to get deferments, thereby removing pressure from fathers.

Now that Selective Service has shifted to an age basis and desires to make it easy for older men to secure deferments, the requirement is just in the way, but must be observed.

However, it was understood that appeals boards will be encouraged to handle deferment applications for men over 30 on a routine basis. Otherwise, the volume of work would tie many of them itno knots.

Registrants living in Virginia and Maryland who work in the District must have their deferments reviewed by District appeals boards.

The same rules apply to men under 30, but different deferment regulations govern them. Men 26 through 29 may be deferred only if they are necessary men in essential activitiles. Men under 26 must be key men in critical activities and secure the approval of the State Selective Service director.

Wells Advocates Asylum Instead of Noose for Hitler

London, May 15 (AP).—Author-Historian H. G. Wells says in his just-published "contemporary memoir" entitled " '42 to '44" that "whatever comes out of this war there must be no killing of Hitler."

If Hitler is killed, he wrote, "we should be making a present to the real evil spirits of Germany—we should be giving them just the national martyr behind whose legend they can shelter from the wrath to come."

The proper treatment, he said, would be "to certify him and put him away in a not too luxurious asylum for criminal lunatics."

He added his opinion that Rudolf Hess, who parachuted into Britain, should have been shot immediately as a spy.

Wells covered a wide field of subjects in the 212-page edition limited to 2,000 copies. A jacket note says the book was priced at two guineas (about $8.40) to keep it out of the hands of all but qualified and serious students.

Citizens' Group Elects At Greenwich Forest

Newly elected officers of the Greenwich Forest (Md.) Citizens Association were announced yesterday as follows: Madison H. Varn, reelected president; Lynn O. De Lashmutt, vice president; W. Elmer Bacon, treasurer, and Mrs. Anne Callander, secretary.

Indorsement of the proposed vaccination of all dogs in Montgomery County to eradicate rabies was voted in a resolution adopted by the group.

TONIGHT at 9:15
WALTER NASH
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Deputy Prime Minister of New Zealand
Discusses
"Preparing for the Post-War
INTERVIEWED BY
Richard Eaton
PROMINENT NEWS ANALYST
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Over WWDC

Speaking of Spring Hats

One of these styles is "by Capital Transit" and it's being worn by about 50 women this Spring.

True, it's quite different from the designs these women have been used to, but it's symbolic of the changes many of us are making these days.

More than 800 of our employees are in the armed forces. So, we're thankful that women have volunteered as operators ...and more are needed...to replace men who have left.

We're glad to tell you the women operators are doing very well indeed. Letters and phone calls from many of our patrons pay tribute to their courtesy and skill.

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Clyde Shoun Hurls No-Hitter, Reds Win, 1-0

This Morning

—With Shirley Povich

A couple of home runs have produced what must be some strange sound effects in the ears of Roberto Ortiz who is now hearing cheers where only boos originated before. The big Cuban with the sultry complexion and the dark marcel is now the fair-haired boy of the Griffith Stadium customers.

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There's nothing fancy about his batting average, but there's now a high expectancy among the crowd when the large Mr. Ortiz totes his bat up to the plate. Three home runs in a week, in the park where homers are hardest to get, have upped Ortiz zconsiderably in the esteem of the populace. He has been getting a hand where heretofore he had heard only the ripeness of the razzberry articulate.

When he isn't hitting, there is nothing very thrilling about Ortizz as a ball player, but the customers are in a mood to forgive all when he connects. He fits the popular conception, physically, of all that is supposed to be power at the plate and swings his bat with an easy grace. In fact, the distance he gets is a bit amazing because of the seeming lack of effort in his stroke. He's just a big, strong, guy,

The fact is, Ortiz isn't a home-run hitter in the sense that he's the kind that gets a lot of home runs. He hits the ball hard, but he's not a fly ball hitter. Ortiz has the flat stroke of the line drive hitter. His hits rattle the fences as a rule, rather than clear 'em. But no park in the league could have contained the three homers he hit at Griffith Stadium during the past week. They were tremendous socks.

Ortiz is a strange galoot in one way. He likes curve-ball pitching. The best hitters have always been annoyed by curve balls but Ortiz has a preference for 'em. Maybe it's because he has the power to knock them a long way. His compatriot, Bobby Estella, was curveballed out of th eleague a few years back, but if they keep throwing curves to Ortiz he'll lead the league in hitting.

Ortiz is under a particular handicap at bat. There are pitchers in the league who delight in throwing their high hard ones inside at "the furriners." Ortiz has led every league he has been in at getting hit by pitched balls. They hit him 13 times at Montreal last season. But he still batted .304.

At Motreal last season, Ortiz first began to show signs that he might be a big leaguer after six years in the minors during which he had tryouts with the Nats and Brooklyn. His .304 batting average may not sound sensational but the fact is that only two men who played regularly outhit him in the International League.

That Ortiz is not natively a home run hitter is apparent from the fact that in the International where the fences are shorter, he socked only ten homers last season. But what the records do show in his favor is a total of 40 two-baggers, tops in the league, and 11 triples, that lacked by one the top figure in the league.

Now we come to something else very interesting—Ortiz's throwing arm. He led the International League in outfielders' assists. Hhe threw out 26 base runners, and that's an important total when you consider that the top man at the art in the American League the same season, Chet Laabs, had only 16 assists.

Ortiz has thrown out only one man for the Nats this year, but there's a reason for that. He's afraid of his own strength and hasn't been turning the ball loose like he can. It's an apparent lack of confidence in himself. He's been over-cautious to this point, perhaps because he didn't start to hit until last week. That has affected his fielding.

The fellow's talents are, in fact, pretty boundless if he ever gets squared away and overpowers what has been an inferiority complex. His arm is certainly the most powerful in the league. There's nothing the matter with his speed on the bases, and he's natively a good hitter. The one thing he was never much account at was picking up ground balls. He has improved at everything except that.

He's a pretty amazing guy nevertheless. He came to the Nats as a pitcher after Joe Cambria flushed him out of the Cuban canebrakes, the biggest Cuban we ever saw. He could throw hard all right, but he couldn't pitch. However, it was hard to ignore his kind of physique so they sent him to the Nats' Charlotte farm as an outfielder. It was a happy thought.

On the Line

—With CONSIDINE

New York, May 15.—The third and latest version of Nat Fleischer's all time ring record book, the Dun and Bradstreet of the biff business, has come out in a limited edition. It is jammed with the records of fighters ranging from James Figg (born 1695, died 1724) to the latest serviceman battler.

CONSIDINE

The 600-page book is a goldmine of boxing lore. Samples:

The fighters of the 1700's and 1800's had such navel names or nicknames as Richard Humphries "The Gentleman Fighter," Sam Martin "The Bath Butcher," Symonds "The Ruffian," Ugly Baruk, Dick Curtin "The Pet of the Fancy," Ikey Pig, Cooper "A Gypsy," Tom Cann "The Great Gun of Windsor," William Perry "The Tipton Slasher," Mike McCoole "The Deckhand Champion of America," and Sam Hurst "The Staylbridge Infant."

There are four 11-second knockouts in the records—meaning that the Kayo was scored in one second with one punch, the other 10 seconds being devoted to counting out the fallen gladiator. The quick kayos were scored by Rudy Zymeck, Jersey City, at Newark in 1939; Willard Dean, in Corpus Christi in 1940; Joe Jakes in Brooklyn in 1942 and Irish Jimmy Pierce at Holyoke, Mass., the same year. Quickest kayo ever scored by an outstanding boxer was Jack Dempsey's knockout of Carl Morris in 14 seconds at New Orleans, December 16, 1918, one second less than Jack Skelly needed to knock out Jimmy Doran in Brooklyn 51 years ago.

The longest fight ever recorded was that between Andy Bowen and Jack Burke, April 6, 1893 at New Orleans. It went 110 rounds and lasted 7 hours and 19 minutes. It was called a draw. This does not include husband-wife battles, which last much longer and, ofcourse, never end in a draw.

The first champion to enlist in World War I was Mike O'Dowd, middleweight boss. Fleischer solemnly lists the Cain-Abel scrap as the first recorded fight, and rates Theagenes of Thaos, Olympic champion of 450 B. C., as the fierst well known battler. That bum was good. He had 1406 fights and killed many of his opponents, thanks to the Gemmick which he wore—a cestus, or heavy iron glove.

First foreign boxer to invade America was Simon Deaf Burke, who came over from England for a bout in New Orleans on May 6, 1836. First American to go abroad to fight was Tom Molineaux, Negro slave born in Georgetown, S. C., in the late 1700's. He reached England in 1809, won fame and frotune there.

The all-time gate, the $2,658,660 aatracted by the second meeting between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney, was not provided by the largest ever to see a bout. The crowd record is held by Tony Zale and Billy Pryor, who fought in Milwaukee on August 18, 1941, at a Fraternal Order of Eagles convention show and drew 135,132 spectators to an open park. Largest paid attendance of all time was 120,757, attracted by the first Tunney-Dempsey match, at Philadelphia. Tunney drew down the biggest purse any fighter ever got, $990,445 for 30 minutes of fighting against Dempsey in their second meeting.

Biggest crowd ever to see an indoor row, 23,320, saw an exhibition between Jack Dempsey and King Levinsky at the Chicago Stadium in 1932. The tallest fighter in ring history was Henry Johns "The Human skyscraper," an Ottawa Negro who fought between 1898 and 1900 and stood 7 feet 2 inches. He weighed 265. George Dixon was the first Negro to win a world title. He beat Nunc Wallace, British champion, to take the crown in 1890. There are seven recorded cases of a double-knockout. Joe Jeanette was knocked 27 times in his 1907 fight in Paris against Sam McVey. Jeannette won the fight in the forty-ninth round.

Five dethroned heavyweight champions have tried to win back their titles and have failed: Corbett, Fitzsimmons, Jeffries, Dempsey and Schmeling. Corbett came closest to breaking the jinx when he led JJeffries in the twenty-third round of their fight at Coney Island, just 44 years ago this month. Schmeling was the biggest bust. Joe Louis flattened him in 2:04 of the first round. Fitz and Jack Johnson both were 37 when they lost their titles.

Joe Louis' ring earnings amount to $2,378,366.28. John L. Sullivan,

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Yanks Crush Chisox, 10-2, On Eight Hits

New York, May 15 ½.—Three big innings did the trick for the league-leading New York Yankees today as Rookie Walt Dubiel sprinkled five Chicago singles for his second major league victory, 10 to 2, in a series opener played before 3797 Yankee Stadium customers.

Don Savage's two-run homer and Ed Levy's double were the only extra basers for the World Champs, who needed but eight hits to spoil the homecoming of Ed Lopat, Chicago's recruit from The Bronx, and his successor, John Humphries.

After yielding a run in the first on singles by Thurman Tucker and Hal Trosky, and an infield out, Dubiel's only trouble was a streak of wildnes in the eighth, when he passed four men to force ina run. The husky freshman won 16 for Newrak in 1943.

Lopat turned back the Yanks without a hit for thre frames, but they climbed on him for thre in the fourth. George Stirnweiss walked, took third on Bud Metheny's single and scored on Ed Levy's fly to Tucker. Then Savage hit his second homer of the year into the left field stands.

Singles by John Lindell, Mike Milosevich and Rollie Hemsley, following an error by Tony Cuccinello, routed Lopat in the seventh. The Yanks continued to pound Humphries, scoring five runs with the help of singles by Stirnweiss and Metheny, and Skeeter Webb's error.

Chicago.	AB	H	O	A	New York.	AB	H	O	A
Moses,rf..	4	1	3	0	St'weiss,2b	4	1	3	2
Tucker,cf.	3	1	5	0	Metheny,rf	5	2	1	0
Schalk,2b.	3	0	1	2	Levy,lf....	4	1	3	0
Trosky,1b.	2	1	13	0	Etten,1b...	4	0	11	1
C'right,lf..	3	0	0	0	Savage,3b..	3	1	2	1
C'inello,3b	4	1	1	5	Lindell,cf.	3	1	4	0
Webb,ss...	4	0	1	3	M'sevich,ss	3	1	0	5
Turner,c..	4	0	0	0	Hemsley,c..	3	1	2	0
Lopat,p...	2	0	0	2	Dubiel,p...	4	0	1	3
H'phries,p.	1	0	0	1					
*Dickshot.	1	1	0	0	Totals..	33	8	27	12
Totals..	31	5	24	13					

*Batted for Humphries in ninth.

Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	— 2
New York.....	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	2	x	—10

Runs—Moses, Tucker, Stirnweiss (2), Metheny, Savage (3), Lindell (2), Hemsley, Dubiel. Errors—Metheny, Cuccinello, Webb, Schalk. Runs batted in—Trosky, Levy (2), Savage (3), Milosevich, Hemsley, Stirnweiss, Metheny, Curtright, Dubiel. Two-base hit—Levy. Home run—Savage. Sacrifice—Milosevich. Double plays—Milosevich to Stirnweiss to Etten, Webb to Schalk to Trosky. Left on bases—Chicago, 8; New York, 4. Base on balls—Lopat, 1; Dubiel, 6; Humphries, 3. Strikeouts—Dubiel, 1. Hits—Lopat, 6 in 6 (none out in 7th); Humphries, 2 in 2. Losing pitcher—Lopat.

Dodgers Rally And Trounce Chicubs, 14-3

Chicago, May 15 (AP).—Scoring seven times in the sixth inning, the Brooklyn Dodgers submrrged the cellarite Chicago Cubs, 14-3, knocking Ed Hanyzewski and Claude Passeau off the hill in their big splurge.

While Hal Gregg was handcuffing the Cubs with five safeties, his mates helped him to his fourth victory with a 17-hit attack.

Dixie Walker and Luis Olmo each collected two hits in the sixth and Olmo homered in the eighth, running his batting streak through nine games. Walker went three for six and upped his average to .414.

Brooklyn.	AB	H	O	A	Chicago.	AB	H	O	A
B'garay,3b	6	4	0	2	Schuster,ss	4	1	2	4
W'ker,rf,lf	6	3	1	0	Ca'retta,1b	4	0	10	0
Olmo,cf,2b	6	3	5	0	G'dman,lf.	3	2	2	0
G'n,lf,cf,rf	4	0	1	0	Nich'sonrf	2	0	2	0
Schultz,1b	5	2	10	0	D'sandro,cf	4	0	3	0
Hart,ss....	3	0	4	4	Hughes,3b.	4	1	0	4
Bragan,c..	5	2	5	0	Johnson,2b	3	0	7	3
Ank'an,2b.	2	0	0	6	Holm,c....	4	0	1	0
P.W'ner,rf	2	2	1	0	H'zewski,p.	1	0	0	4
Gregg,p...	4	1	0	1	Passeau,p..	0	0	0	0
L.W'ner,cf	0	0	0	0	Fleming,p.	0	0	0	0
					*Ostrowski	1	0	0	0
Totals..	43	17	27	13	Miklos,p...	0	0	0	1
					†Sauer....	1	1	0	0
					Totals..	31	5	27	16

*Batted for Fleming in seventh.
†Batted for Miklos in ninth.

Brooklyn	1	1	0	0	0	7	3	1	1	—14
Chicago	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	— 3

Runs—Bordagaray (2), Walker, Olmo (2), Schultz (2), Hart (3), Bragan, P. Waner (2), L. Waner, Schuster, Cavarretta, Hanyzewski. Errors—Johnson (2). Runs batted in—Bordagaray (3), Walker, Olmo (3), Schultz, Bragan, P. Waner (4), Gregg, Goodman (2), Dallessandro. Two-base hits—Schuster, Goodman, Schultz. Three-base hit—P. Waner. Home run—Olmo. Sacrifice—Gregg. Double play—Ankneman to Hart to Schultz. Left on bases—Brooklyn, 7; Chicago, 8. Base on balls—Gregg, 7; Hanyzewski, 2; Miklos, 2. Strikeouts—Gregg, 4; Fleming, 1. Hits—Hanyzewski, 7 in 5⅓; Passeau, 3 in 3⅓; Fleming, 4 in 1⅓; Miklos, 3 in 2. Passed ball—Holm. Losing pitcher—Hanyzewski.

Perry's Horses Cop Honors at Briar Patch

Newport News, Va., May 15 (AP). Cornish Hills and Magic Luck, entries of Mr. and Mrs. W. Haggin Perry, paced horses at the Briar Patch Horse Show yesterday at Hilton Village, carrying off the majority of first places.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. R. B. Keeley's Diva K also scored a number of times, taking firsts in two of the events, while Mrs. K. M. Bruce's Rose Gold also was among the leaders.

Cornish Hills took a spill in the morning, which limited his competition in the afternoon.

The only mishap occurred when The Yanks continued to pound Humphries, scoring five runs with the help of singles by Stirnweiss and Metheny, and Skeeter Webb's error.

Detroit.	AB	H	O	A	Philad'lia.	AB	H	O	A
Cramer,cf.	5	1	3	0	Burgo,rf...	4	3	5	0
Hoover,ss.	4	2	2	6	Garrison,lf	3	1	1	0
Mayo,2b..	4	2	1	2	Estalella,cf	2	0	4	0
York,1b...	4	0	11	1	Hayes,c...	4	1	4	2
Higgins,3b	4	0	0	1	Siebert,1b.	3	1	6	0
Metro,lf..	4	1	2	0	Hall,ss....	4	2	3	5
Hos'tler,rf	4	1	1	0	Semlnick,c.	4	0	2	1
Swift,c....	2	1	4	2	Rullo,2b...	4	0	3	3
Richards,c	1	1	1	0	Chr'pher,p.	4	1	0	0
Ov'rmire,p	3	0	1	3	†Wilkins..	0	0	0	0
*Gorsica..	0	0	0	0					
Gillespie,p	0	0	0	0	Totals..	32	9	27	9
Gentry,p..	0	0	0	0					
Totals..	35	9	126	15					

*Ran for Swift in ninth.
†Two out when winning run scored.
‡Ran for Burgo in ninth.

Detroit	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

Runs—Hostetler, Gorsica, Garrison, Estalella, Hayes (2), Christopher, Wilkins. Runs batted in—Swift, Burgo, Hall, Richards, Hayes (4). Two-base hits—Hoover, Hostetler, Richards. Three-base hit—Christopher. Home run—Hayes. Sacrifice—Siebert. Double plays—Overmire to Swift to York; Hoover to York. Left on bases—Detroit, 8; Philadelphia, 8. Base on balls—Overmire, 5; Christopher, 1; Gillespie, 2. Strikeouts—Christopher, 1; Overmire, 3; Gillespie, 1. Hits—Overmire, 7 in 8; Gillespie, 1 in ⅔; Gentry, 1 in 0 (2 out in 9th). Hit by pitched ball—Christopher (Swift). Losing pitcher—Gillespie. Umpires—Pipgras, Stewart and McGowan. Time—1:59.

Williamsburg Names Denton

Williamsburg, Va., May 15 (AP). Rawls Byrd, chairman of the Williamsburg Youth Welfare Council, announced today that Durwood Early (Ducky) Denton, 40, head football and basketball coach at John Marshall High School Richmond, has accepted a position as director of recreation for Williamsburg this summer.

Denton graduated from William and Mary College in 1925 and then did graduate work at New York University before serving as physical education teacher and coach in Hopewell and Salem, where he directed a community recreation program for several years.

Fairgo Track Opens August 8

Cumberland, Md., May 15 (AP).—Clifton W. White, president of the Cumberland Fair Association, has announced that Fairgo's 10-day race meeting will be held August 8-19. The racing meetings at the State's half-mile ovals will open for the year in Hagerstown, where dates have been set in advance of the Fairgo meeting.

Major League Standings

American League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
New York	14	6	.700	...
St. Louis	14	10	.583	2
*WASHINGTON	12	9	.571	2½
Philadelphia ...	12	10	.545	3
Chicago	10	13	.435	5½
*Cleveland	10	13	.435	5½
Boston	8	13	.381	6½
Detroit	9	15	.375	7

*Does not include night game.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland at WASHINGTON (night).
Philadelphia, 6; Detroit, 2.
New York, 10; Chicago, 2.
(Only games scheduled.)

TODAY'S GAMES

Cleveland at WASHINGTON, 8:30 p. m.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Chicago at New York.
(Only games scheduled)

National League

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
St. Louis	18	6	.720	...
Cincinnati	13	9	.591	4
Philadelphia ..	12	9	.571	4½
Pittsburgh	10	10	.500	6
Brooklyn	11	11	.500	6
New York	11	13	.458	7
Boston	11	14	.440	7½
Chicago	3	17	.150	13

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

New York, 8; Pittsburgh, 7.
Cincinnati, 1; Boston, 0.
Brooklyn, 14; Chicago, 3.
St. Louis, 11; Philadelphia, 6.

TODAY'S GAMES

Philadelphia at Chicago.
Boston at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at St. Louis (night).

Yanks in Italy Rally Around for Game of Baseball

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

AMERICANS RELAX—Allied soldiers gather around for their national pastime—baseball—at a rest sector of the Anzio beachhead in Italy. The caption does not identify the batter but he looks like a major league slugger as he smashes out a hit.

Hayes' Homer Beats Tigers For A's, 6 to 2

Philadelphia, May 15 (AP).—Frankie Hayes smashed out his second homer in as many days and led the Athletics to a 6-2 victory over the Detroit Tigers at Shibe Park today before 5,921 fans.

The Tigers tied things up in the first half of the ninth inning at 2-2, and Bob Gillespie had two outs on the A's and the bases loaded when Hayes blasted the ball into the stands in the A's half of the last frame.

Yesterday, with the game scoreless in the eighth, Hayes slammed one into the stands with one on to give the A's a 2-0 victory over the St. Louis Browns in the second game of a doubleheader. Today's homer was his fifth of the year.

Russ Christopher allowed the Tigers nine hits and Overmire, Gentry and Gillespie gave up the same number between them. It was the Athletics' fifth consecutive victory and their seventh triumph in the last eight games.

Armstrong, Perry Victor to Meet Angott

Sammy Angott, former National Boxing Association lightweight champion, has agreed to meet th ewinner of the 10-round bout between Henry Armstrong and Aaron Perry at Griffith Stadium, Monday night, Promoter Ahearn announced last night.

Manager Harry Garsh yesterday signed articles for Perry while Ahearn already had lined up Armstrong fo this big money bout, on a July date.

Charley Jones, manager of Angott, yesterday forwarded Ahearn his acceptance of terms from Louisville, Ky., and in so doing assured Washingtonians of one of the major matches of the outdor season.

Angott lost a close decision to Armstrong, but recently defeated Perry here before a record indoor gate locally that grossed $30,000.

Perry, who had a winning streak of 14 successive bouts snapped by Angott their last time out, was elated over this opportunity for a return bout with the former N. B. A. champion.

"Boy, that's one bout I want to land," the normally poker faced youngster beamed. "I know I can make a great fight against Angott next time, and I've been gunning for this shot ever since last time."

Armstrong makes a final tune-up stand in Boston tonight before reporting here to complete training for Perry tomorrow. Meanwhile, Perry dons the gloves for the first time since his knockout of Taffy Cummings today when he works out at the Liberty gymnasium today at 2 o'clock.

Daily details of the training activities of the fighters are being broadcast over Station WOL by Russ Hodges for a 15-minute interval at 2:35 o'clock.

Mike Jacobs May Shun Outdoor Bouts

New York, May 15 (AP).—Mike Jacobs, punching party promoter for the 20th Century Sporting Club, disclosed today he'll shun outdoor attractions this summer and concentrate on indoor shows, because:

"It very seldom rains in Madison Square Garden!"

Jacobs left a loophole by declaring he "might go outside if anything really big develops," but that it wasn't worth while to stir up anything out of doors unless it could gross a quarter million dollars. With most of the big time talent in the armed services, no quarter-million gates appeared imminent.

The word along Jacobs Beach today was that Uncle Mike had dropped about $10,000 in small shows in outlying arenas during the last six weeks while the circus has been playing the garden. Gargantua, the elephants and the aerial artists move out soon, however, and Jacobs will send the gladiators back into action starting May 26.

Savold vs. Baksi

First fistic attraction brings back Lee Savold, the blond adonis from Paterson, N. J., against Joe Baksi, the Kulpmont, Pa., ex-miner, for a 12-round heavyweight brawl. They met over 10 rounds a couple of months ago and at the finish were as close as ham and eggs although Savold won.

Welterweights Tippy Larkin of Garfield, N. J., and Freddie Archer of Newark, N. J., tangle in the June 2 event over 10 rounds. Larkin, who kayoed Allie Stolz in the Garden six weeks ago, holds knockout and decision wins over Archer, who was discharged recently by the Navy.

An eight-rounder headlines the June 9 show, bringing together 18-year-old Aaron Perry of Washington and Southpaw Al Davis of Brooklyn. Under New York law Perry is eligible for only six-rounders because of his age, but he has a special permit for this one.

Perry, a kayo artist in his own right, meets "Hammerin' Henry" Armstrong May 26 in Griffith Stadium at Washington. In his last Garden outing Davis took a severe mauling from Beau Jack, ex-lightweight king, but since then has made quite a showing in smaller arenas.

Jacobs said he was lining up five shows for June.

Cards Swamp Phillies, 11-6; Verban Stars

St. Louis, May 15 (AP).—Breaking away for their biggest single inning of the season, the St. Louis Cardinals today scored nine runs in the first off Dick Barrett and Chet Covington and won 11 to 6 over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Philadelphia threatened with four runs in the eighth but the ninth inning batters went out in order. Tony Lupien drove in three runs, two during the eight-inning rally.

Philad'lia.	AB	H	O	A	St. Louis.	AB	H	O	A
Mullen,2b.	4	2	2	3	Verban,2b..	5	2	3	3
Adams,cf..	4	2	2	0	Hopp,cf....	3	1	3	0
Wasdell,lf.	4	0	1	0	Musial,rf..	5	2	4	0
N'rthey,rf.	5	2	1	0	O'Dea,c....	5	2	7	0
Lupien,1b.	4	2	12	1	K'owski,3b.	4	1	0	0
Finley,c...	1	0	0	1	Fallon,3b..	1	1	0	1
Clesjak,3b.	5	2	0	3	L'whiler,lf	5	1	3	0
H'rrick,ss.	5	1	2	3	Sanders,1b	4	0	6	0
Barrett,p..	0	0	0	0	Marion,ss..	3	2	1	2
Cov'ton,p.	2	0	0	1	Bumbert,p.	4	2	0	1
*Leitchas..	1	0	0	0	Schmdit,p..	0	0	0	0
M'ewson,p.	0	0	0	2					
†Triplett..	1	1	0	0	Totals..	39	14	27	7
Donahue,p	0	0	0	0					
‡Stewart..	1	0	0	0					
Totals..	40	14	24	14					

*Batted for Covington in sixth.
†Batted for Matthewson in eighth.
‡Batted for Donohue in ninth.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4	0	— 6
St. Louis.....	9	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	x	—11

Runs—Verban (2), Hopp, Musial, O'Dea, Kurowski, Litwhiler, Marion (2), Gumbert (2), Adams (2). Wasdell, Seminick, Hamrick, Triplett. Errors—Kurowski, Northey, Mullen, Matthewson. Runs batted in—Musial (2), O'Dea (2), Litwhiler (2), Gumbert (2), Verban (2), Hopp, Letchas, Lupien (3), Mullen, Adams. Two-base hit—O'Dea. Three-base hit—Verban. Double plays—Verban to Marion to Sanders, Fallon to Verban to Sanders. Left on bases—Philadelphia, 12; St. Louis, 8. Base on balls—Covington, 2; Matthewson, 2; Gumbert, 5. Strikeouts—Covington, 4; Gumbert, 6. Hits—Barrett, 6 in 0 (pitched to six batters); Covington, 7 in 5; Matthewson, 0 in 2; Donahue, 1 in 1; Gumbert, 14 in 7⅔; Schmidt, 0 in 1⅓. Winning pitcher—Gumbret. Losing pitcher—Barrett.

Bainbridge, Tar Golfers Clash May 24

Bainbridge, Md., May 15 (AP).—A six-man golf team from the Bainbridge Naval Training Center will travel to Annapolis May 24 to compete with the Naval Academy golfers.

Three of the Commodores already chosen were Lou Woreshan, Washington ace; Jimmy Demarest, a top money winner two seasons ago, and Chief Bob Dunn, Adirondack's champion for seven years in a row. The other three will be chosen this week.

Mrs. Tucker's Lurlene Takes Horse Honors

Harwood, Md., May 15 (AP).—Lurlene, owned and ridden by Mrs. William Tucker of Davidsonville is the winner of the championship of the Southern Maryland Horse Breeders Association Spring Light Horse Show.

Quintillian, owned by Orlando Ridout of St. Margarets, and ridden by his daughter, Katherine, was judgfied reserved champion at the 16-event shsow which took place yesterday at Cheston's Farm.

Softball Games Sought

Takoma Park's unlimited softball team is seeking Sunday games and interested clubs are asked to call Shepherd 7863.

Giants Down Pirates by 8-7 Score

Pittsburgh, May 15 (AP).—Eighteen Pittsburgh Pirates saw action today as the New York Giants clubbed out 15 hits for an 8-7 edge and Ace Adams' fourth victory.

Phil Weintraub paced the New York attack with a triple, two doubles and a single for a perfect day and Billy Jurges collected three for four.

Frankie Frisch started Max Butcher but Art Cuccurullo who came on in the second was charged with the defeat although helping the Pirates score five in the second frame.

New York	AB	H	O	A	Pitts'gh.	AB	H	O	A
Rucker,cf.	5	2	2	0	Barrett,rf.	5	1	1	0
Jurges,3b.	4	3	1	3	C'arart,2b.	5	3	3	6
G'rdella,rf	5	2	2	0	†Zak.....	0	0	0	0
M'dwick,lf	5	0	2	0	Russell,lf..	5	1	1	1
W'raub,1b	4	4	8	0	Elliott,3b..	3	2	3	1
L'mbardi,c	3	1	3	2	Gustine,ss.	4	1	1	5
Luby,2b...	5	2	6	4	D'hlgren,1b	2	0	12	0
Kerr,ss...	3	1	3	2	DiM'gio,cf.	4	2	3	0
Fischer,p..	1	0	0	0	Camelli,c..	1	0	2	1
Adams,p...	1	0	0	0	‡O'Brien...	1	0	0	0
Polli,p....	1	0	0	0	Lopez,c....	0	0	0	0
					§Colman...	1	0	0	0
Totals..	37	15	27	11	Davis,c....	0	0	0	0
					Butcher,p..	0	0	0	0
					C'rullo,p..	2	1	1	2
					*Rubelino.	1	0	0	0
					Rescigno,p.	0	0	0	0
					‖Sewell...	1	0	0	0
					Totals..	35	11	27	18

*Batted for Camelli in seventh.
†Batted for Cuccurullo in seventh.
‡Batted for Lopez in eighth.
§Batted for Rescigno in ninth.
‖Ran for Coscarart in ninth.

New York	1	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	0	—8
Pittsburgh	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—7

Runs—Jurges (2), Gardella, Weintraub, Luby, Kerr (2), Adams, Barrett, Coscarart, Russell, Elliott, Dahlgren, DiMaggio, Cuccurullo. Error—Dahlgren. Runs batted in—Medwick, Rucker, DiMaggio, Cuccurullo (2), Barrett, Lombardi, Jurges (2), Gardella, Weintraub (2), Russell, Elliott. Two-base hits—Gardella, DiMaggio, Cuccurullo, Lombardi, Weintraub (2), Gustine. Three-base hits—Rucker, Barrett. Weintraub, Russell. Stolen base—Rucker. Sacrifices—Kerr, Adams (2), Rucker. Double plays—Kerr to Luby to Weintraub, Gustine to Dahlgren. Left on bases—New York, 12; Pittsburgh, 5. Base on balls—Butcher, 1; Fischer, 2; Cuccurullo, 3; Adams, 2; Rescigno, 1. Strikeouts—Fischer, 2; Cuccurullo, 1; Adams, 1. Hits—Butcher, 5 in 1⅓; Cuccurullo, 8 in 5⅔; Fischer, 4 in 1⅔; Adams, 5 in 5⅔; Rescigno, 2 in 2; Polli, 2 in 1⅓. Hit by pitched ball—Cuccurullo (Kerr). Wild pitch—Adams. Winning pitcher—Adams. Losing pitcher—Cuccurullo.

Middie Nine Triumphs, 10-2

Annapolis, May 15 (AP).—Navy's baseball team exploded with 13 hits and 10 runs to swamp a hapless Brooklyn College nine today in a seven-inning ball game, 10 to 2.

Brooklyn jumped into an early lead on Leon Cooper's home run in the first inning and Elmer Grossberg's hard-hit double in the fourth with one man on base.

In Navy's half of the fourth frame First Baseman Bud Bowler turned the tide for the Middies with a round tripper to right field. With two away, Tar Pitcher Paul Burdette singled, driving in Third Sacker Mac McKie, who had reached first on a fielder's choice. Then Herbie Mills singled and Brooklyn's Herbie Meltzer's three-base error put the game on ice for the Tars.

Brooklyn.	AB	H	O	A	Navy.	AB	H	O	A
F'dman,1b	3	0	6	0	Mills,cf....	3	1	1	0
S'nick,2b.	3	1	0	2	Jacobus,2b.	4	2	3	0
C'per,cf,p.	2	0	2	0	Thayer,lf..	3	2	1	0
P'lucci,ss..	3	0	1	2	Duden,rf...	4	2	1	0
Gr'berg,3b	2	2	3	0	Bowler,1b.	3	2	4	1
Garzia,3b.	1	0	0	0	Curry,3b...	2	0	0	1
Curran,lf.	3	0	2	0	McKie,ss..	4	0	1	2
Meltzer,rf.	2	0	0	0	Pinos,c....	2	1	9	0
Sw'igen,rf.	1	0	0	0	Burdette,p.	3	1	1	1
Friedl'd,c.	1	1	4	0					
L'freund,p	1	0	0	1	Totals..	28	13	21	5
Totals..	22	4	18	5					

Brooklyn	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	— 2
Navy	0	0	0	4	4	2	x			—10

Runs—Cooper (2), Mills, Thayer (2), Duden (2), Bowler (2), Curry, McKie, Burdette. Errors—Meltzer (2), Jacobus (2). Runs batted

Discretion Wins Charles Town Feature

5000 Watch 6-Year-Old Win Photo

By Walter Haight
Post Staff Writer

Charles Town, W. Va., May 15.—Perfect racing racing conditions—a fast track an dsunny skies—greeted racing here this afternoon as the Charles Town Jockey Club opened its 48-day meeting. The best offering of the afternoon, the sixth race, brought a thrilling photo finish with Pearson and Shank's Discretion getting the nod over Randle's Queen, owned by U. S. Randle of Washington. Three and a half lengths in back of the fight for first money came another photo for third. In this, Dr. G. T. Strather's Mitza was awarded the position over Mrs. E. B. Lee's Ultima Thule.

The crowd of 5000 betting some 60 per cent ahead of the similar day last year, installed Randle's Queen as the favorite. Discretion paid $8. The 6-year-old who was never worse than second in his races here last year was clocked in good time of 1:20 for the 6½ furlongs.

Trainer Saddles Two

Discretion was the second winner of the day for Trainer Palmer Sowers of Washington. He saddled his Oldwick who took the chiem end of the purse in the fifth race. Jockey Frank Sheaffer was aboard both of the Palmer-trained horses.

Sheaffer gave an excellent saddle performance in getting Discretion home. The veteran gelding was in close quarters going to the first turn but Sheaffer got through. Discretion then raced Leo's Lorraine into defeat to take command. Approaching the stretch, Randle's Queen moved up and got head and head wit hthe ultimate winner. However, Sheaffer put up a strong ride and held the mare safe in the final drive by somewhere near a head margin.

Oldwick Lucky

Oldwick was lucky to win the fifth. E. Rinaldi's Pigeon had the purse locked up, leading by some four lengths when he ran to the outside fence. Oldwick then came on to wear down and defeat the Flamingo Farm's Bill K. Dr. H. B. Langdon's local-owned Big Moose was third. Oldwick paid $4.80.

Jockel G. Challis escaped with a shaking up in a spill that marked the first race and caused the stewards to suspend Jocked Vincent Bracciale for 10 days. Challis was aboard Last Bet when the 6-year-old fell while in close quarters at the far turn. Wayne Kenrick's Honeymaid, $4.40, was the winner. Those who teamed Honeymaid with E. A. Nicodemus' Sea Pilot, a $55.20 shot, collected $145.80 on the "4 and 7" combination in the daily double.

Jockey Buddy Root carried off riding honors for the day with three winners.

Cuban Fruit, Maybe

Bobby Estalella 'Hottest' Thing in Majors, Says Mack

Philadelphia, May 15 (AP).—Cuban Roberto Estalella of Mr. Mack's Athletics took some of the Cuban hot stuff out of his diet this spring—and now it's in his legs—and arms.

Mr. Mack affirmed today that Roberto is not only hot, but also the "most improved" player in the major leagues.

Last year the chunky little neighbor hit .259. Now he's doing .343. Last year he threw a bit like the star of the Paoli girls' softball team. Now he's fast, accurate and smooth. Last year he often misjudged the ball in flight. Now his judgment is tops.

"It's fruit that did it," said Mr. Mack. "Fruit and changing his playing position. He never played center field before. The position is made for him."

Roberto, before the rennaissance, was an infielder, with occasional forays into left field.

"Early this spring," Mr. Mack resumed, "Al Simmons (A's coach) took him in hand at Frederick. He put him on a diet that contained mostly fruit. He got him running to get in shape, and he coached him on center. Now Bobby's lost 20 pounds, is full of pep, and looks like a real major leaguer."

Roberto, who is 31 and 4-F, first came to the A's last season from the Washington Nats in a trade for Bob Johnson. He's been around in the minors several years, and he went right back—to Indianapolis—later, with Mr. Mack

BOBBY ESTALELLA

asking such questions as "Can't he throw—either?" Still later, however, with the manpower situation being what it was, Connie called him up again.

"And," said Connie, "am I glad?"

Charles Town Charts

MONDAY, MAY 15, 1944.
BY WALTER HAIGHT.
Weather Clear, Track Fast.

FIRST RACE—About 4½ furlongs. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Off at 1:06½. Winner, W. Kendrick. Value to winner, $425. Time, 0:49⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Honeymaid	1	1²	1½	1¹	$4.40
Stellas Sun	4	2¹	2¹	2¹½	16.40
Glorious Sec.	7	4½	3²	3²	1.60
Lena Girl	8	8	8²	4³	19.80
Blue Melody	2	3½	4½	5³	14.40
Meadow Sun	5	6¹	6³	6¹	67.30
Arch McD'ald	6	7hd	7	7	23.40
Last Bet	3	5½	†		12.00

†Fell.

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
HONEYMAID (Garrett) 4.40 2.80 2.20
STELLAS SUN (Sheaffer) 6.80 3.40
GLORIOUS SEC (R.Root) 2.40

SECOND RACE—About 7 furlongs. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Off at 1:38. Winner, E. A. Nicodemus. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:25⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Sea Pilot	7	1½	1¹	1²	$26.60
Mr. Jim	4	2²	2¹	2nk	4.10
Goldpack	6	3²	3²	3³	13.20
Bob Junior	3	6¹	4³	4⁴	2.20
Match Point	5	4½	5²	5nk	4.30
Streamer	2	8	8	6¹	10.80
Zac Pam	1	7³	7³	7³	4.10
Lady Divine	8	5¹	6¹	8	26.00

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
SEA PILOT (Hummer) ... 55.20 25.00 9.60
MR. JIM (Grant) 6.40 4.60
GOLDJACK (Palumbo) 6.20

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $145.80.

THIRD RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:03. Winner, M. Plank. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:16⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Freeboy	4	1¹	1½	1²	$21.30
Remolee	5	4nk	4²	2½	.60
Misty Eye	8	8½	2½	3¹	14.20
Scottie	2	3¹	3½	4½	9.00
Gay Boo	3	7nk	6²	8hd	24.40
Fast Light	1	5²	5³	6³	6.00
Time Play	7	6²	7³	7³	10.90
Strumming	1	8	8	8	19.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
FREEBOY (R.Root) 44.60 12.20 6.20
REMOLEE (Daugherty) 3.00 3.20
MISTY EYE (McGuinn) 4.80

FOURTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 2:30½. Winner, A. A. Fishback. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:22⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Seven Seas	5	1nk	1hd	1½	$3.00
Real Boy	3	2½	2²	2¹	1.80
Heel Dust	6	6nk	4½	3³	2.70
Granny Cake	7	4²	5²	4¹	10.10
Rostan	8	5²	6½	5²	12.70
Annap'lis Maid	2	7²	8²	6²	51.10
Commixion	1	3¹½	3¹	7¹	28.60
Yankee Lad	4	8	8	8	32.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
SEVEN SEAS (Walters) ... 8.00 4.40 2.80
REAL BOY (R.Root) 3.00 2.40
HEEL DUST (Palumbo) 2.40

FIFTH RACE—Charles Town course. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 3:00½. Winner, C. P. Sowers. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:17.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Oldwick	2	4¹½	3¹½	1¹¼	$1.40
Bill K.	1	2²	2¹½	2²	2.10
Big Moose	5	5½	4½	3nk	29.40
Walter Light	3	7¹	7½	4³	11.90
Pigeon	7	1hd	1⁴	5³	11.90
Step by Step	6	8	8	6½	13.20
Bell Soma	4	6¹	6½	7½	8.20
Famas Time	8	3¹	5¹	8	4.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
OLDWICK (Sheaffer) 4.80 2.80 3.60
BILL K. (P.Grant) 2.80 2.40
BIG MOOSE (W.Kirk) 4.80

SIXTH RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good. Off at 3:25½. Winner, Pearson and Shank. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:20.

Horses	Post	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Discretion	1	1hd	1½	1hd	$3.00
Randle's Qu'n	5	4²	2½	2²½	1.40
Mitza	2	3nk	4½	3hd	5.20
Ultima Thule	4	6¹	5¹½	4²	13.50
Leo's Lorraine	3	2²	3²	5¹½	8.50
Scotch Flag	7	5hd	6²	6¹½	49.40
Jack Horner	8	7²	8	7¹	14.60
Buck L'horne	6	8	7hd	8	28.60

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
DISCRETION (Sheaffer) 8.00 4.20 2.40
RANDLE'S QUEEN (Dougherty). 3.00 2.20
MITZA (R.Root) 2.60

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $600. For 3-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 3:56½. Winner, G. T. Strother. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:45⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Alfred Stuart	2	2²	2¹	1²	$3.50
Five-O-Four	1	6	3⁴	2½	4.30
Lupoba	6	1²	1hd	3³	4.90
Which Two	3	5²	5²	4³	50.80
Herod's Pilot	4	3½	5⁴	5¹⁰	8.00
Sir Jerome	5	4¹	6	6	1.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
ALFRED STUART (R.Root) . 9.00 5.20 3.00
FIVE-O-FOUR (Edens) 6.00 3.80
LUPOBA (Grant) 2.60

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $600. For 4-year-olds and upward; claiming. Start good. Off at 4:29½. Winner, R. C. Watts. Value to winner, $425. Time, 1:53⅘.

Horses	Post	¼	Str.	Fin.	Straight
Mistake	1	3¹	2¹	1¾	$4.20
Big Sneeze	3	2¹	1½	2²	1.70
Some Gr'cher	6	5½	4²	3³	11.90
Ler-Lin	2	1½	3¹	4⁴	11.00
Specialist	5	4³	5¹	5¹½	3.50
Tar Miss	4	6	6	6	4.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid:
MISTAKE (R.Root) 10.60 4.00 3.00
BIG SNEEZE (Bleiacker) 3.20 3.20
SOME GROUCHER (Palumbo) 3.00

Belmont Park

By the Associated Press

1—¾; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

At Play	115	At Which	110
*Bolinger	109	*Headoverheels	108
Clodion	115	Baruna	115
Willow Run	113	Volitant	115
*Marogay	113	The Chief	115
†Playfields	113	*Fast Tempo	103
Miss Mary Jane	110	Liberty B.	113
Psychiatrist	115	Arrive on Time	113
Sleepytime Gal	108	Sight	118
Sun Flame	113	Orpheum	113

†V. Holsky and Mrs. T. J. Carroll entry.

2—4½; $2200; maiden 2-year-old fillies.

Blenrose	115	Chrysaloris	116
Faint Heart	115	Ace Card	115
Rockwood Argo	115	Ellen's Slam	115
Sheshoon	115	High Romance	115
Surosa	115	†Spitha	115
Lady Pilot	115	Pinup Girl	116
Miss Brownking	115	†Eluros	115
Stage Queen	115	Tintia	115
Center Stage	115		

‡W. Helis entry.

3—1⅛; $2200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Searchlight	115	*Blitzkrieg	110
Nipsickle	120	*Puego	112
Marmeduke	114	Teta Maude	111
Kingfisher	117	Foe o' Woe	119
Red Cin	117	Crystal	112
Guinea Club	117	*Edie Vaze	106
*Art of War	112		

4—⅝; $2500; 2-year-olds; the Pupil.

Hillyer Court	116	King Dorsett	116
Faricutin	111	Bayern	116
*Frere Jacques	106	Floodtown	116

5—Ab. 2 m.; $4000; 4-year-olds up.

Picture Prince	144	*The Beak	132
Bill Coffman	139	Iron Shot	158
†Rouge Dragon	161	†Mercator	149
Greek Flag	144		

‡M. A. Cushman and W. H. Lipscomb entry.

6—¾; $4100; 3-year-olds; handicap.

Jimmie	115	Ravenala	110
Stronghold	116	By Jimminy	118
Kaytee	116	Bel Reigh	119
Dance Team	118		

7—1⅛; $3600; 3-year-olds up; handicap.

Air Current	121	Breezing Home	115
Paperboy	110	Bon Jour	102
Zanzibar	108	Great Rush	115
Dartaway	112	Bright Gallant	108
Anibras	114	Anticlimax	122

8—1½ m.; $3000; maiden 3-yr.-olds up.

Kopar	112	Velikie Luki	112
Oh Ma	109	*Seafight	117
Barter's Pride	112	Big Me	121
Pallene	107		

BELMONT SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Mareday, Clodion, Sight.
2—Miss Browning, Stage Queen, Helis entry.
3—Foe o' Woe, Blitzkrieg, Fuego.
4—PARICUTTIN, Hillyer Court, King Dorsett.
5—Rouge Dragon, Iron Shot, Mercator.
6—Jimmie, Bel Reigh, By Jimminy.
7—Air Current, Anticlimax, Anibras.
8—Kopar, Velikie Luki, Big Me.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Results

1—4½; $2000; maiden 2-year-olds.

High Spirits, 115 (A'son)	31.90	12.10	5.50
Expediter, 119 (Young)		5.10	3.10
Top Valley, 117 (Arcaro)			2.60

Busy Edith A., *Plucky Grip, Wise Sun, †Pilot Light, Pharamonda, Special Pet, Bee Twentynine, Abraxo, Big Sun, Houlsate also ran. Time, 0:53.

*Field.

2—¾; $2200; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Magic Heels, 116 (Fermane)	5.00	3.20	2.70
Morani, 118 (Mehrtens)		4.30	3.60
Piano Shadow, 120 (Brooks)			6.50

Little Milly, Super Marines, More Wine, Hello Bill, Savannah, Tarpan, Docdonough, Charlie Noble, Merrimac also ran. Time, 1:12⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $120.50.

3—1½; $2000; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Sting Pal, 107 (Mills)	3.90	2.60	2.30
Ballotant, 114 (G.Smith)		3.90	2.90
Shaun G., 114 (Zufelt)			3.20

Powerhouse, Rubicon also ran. Time, 1:51⅘.

4—⅝; $2500; 3-year-old fillies.

Still Blue, 113 (Woolf)	10.30	5.70	4.30
Fairy Bee, 115 (Atkinson)		8.60	6.40
Tessy Sue, 115 (Zufelt)			17.00

Rita Jane, Music Hall, Pilates Echo, Tedious Miss, Brirahone, Santa Stefana, Iron Maiden, Errant Lass, Paddle also ran. Time, 1:13⅘.

5—Mile; $2600 added; 3-year-olds.

Bric A Brac, 100 (Gilbert)	13.60	5.50	4.10
Romanock, 12 (Longden)		3.80	3.00
Step Across, 109 (Fermane)			4.50

Lassie Sue, Clanaman, Directory, Supper Dance, Mustafa, Early Winter, Return Call also ran. Time, 1:38⅘.

6—1⅛; $2600; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.

Sickles Choice, 110 (Fmane)	6.20	3.50	2.90
Meneither, 118 (Woolf)		3.50	3.00
Inspired, 108 (Mehrtens)			4.50

Birch Rod, Thin Air, Sissie Smith, Count Daunt, Brenner Pass also ran. Time, 1:43⅘.

7—1⅛; $2600; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.

Water Pearl, 118 (Waschek)	5.30		
Trierrach, 115 (Stout)		3.30	2.80
Bygones, 114 (Strange)			3.70

Gusher, Yankee, Jimloe, Spoon Bread, Seamanlike also ran. Time, 1:44⅘.

Hawthorne

Entries

By the Associated Press

1—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Smoky Snyder	112	Sweet Helen	107
Grand Rush	105	Pidgy	110
Victory Play	105	Stage Door	107
Hy-Trite	112	*Proud Sister	108
*Gainer	105	String Band	112
*Grand News	108	War Declared	110

2—⅝; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

*Perplex	107	Cannon's Banner	112
Jungle Moon	112	Free Style	115
Jackorack	110	*Paladin	107
Skagway	113	Lookout Rascal	113
*Miss Monarch	102	*Military Sand	105
Very True	110	*Valnor	102

3—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds; claiming.

*Devil's Frolic	107	To A Tee	120
Anxiety	104	Elcinap	107
*Pennsburg	109	Liberty Flight	114
Itabo	114		

4—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Uh Huh	107	*Field D'Or	107
Sildonna	107	Woodsman	114
Highthorne	114	David B. Jr.	114
Sweet Story	109	*Beth's Pride	107

5—6½; $1300; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Takeaway	110	*Damie	108
*Tawny Lady	108	Valdina Malden	116
Paragram	116		

6—¾; $1500; 3-year-olds up; handicap.

Chipamink	113	Powder Bluff	108
Bushwhacker	105	‡Sales Talk	110
*Roman Sox	116	Topnard	110
Port Harmony	104	†Pull Cry	112
Fire Dust	105	‡Bright Willie	112

†Brolite Farm entry.
‡Creech and McIlvain entry.

7—¾; $1300; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Whosyourgal	115	*Robins Crown	107
Campion Hall	114	*Sweep Ahead	109
Compatriot	114	June T.	109

8—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

*Royal Risk	109	Chocolate Maid	109
*Masculine	106	Sir Mortimer	111
*Kiev Lee	105	Farragut	114
Hardwrack	116	Three Sands	108
Happy Choice	111	Pamphlet	108
Anonymous	114		

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

HAWTHORNE SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Smoky Snyder, Hy-Trite, Proud Sister.
2—Lookout Rascal, Paladin, Jackorack.
3—Liberty Flight, To A Tee, Itabo.
4—High Thorne, Uh Huh, David B. Jr.
5—VALDINA MALDEN, Damie, Parasytm.
6—Roman Sox, Creech-McIlvain entry, Fire Dust.
7—Whosyourgal, Campion Hall, Compatriot.
8—Hardwrack, Kiev Lee, Farragut.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Hawthorne

Results

1—⅝; $1000; 3-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Private Howie, 117 (Lo'co)	17.60	8.00	4.40
Through Train, 117 (Henson)		13.00	7.80
Baby Advice, 105 (Gillespie)			4.40

My Crest, Half Time, Spin and Win, Crumpet, Port Ballot, Cold Shot, Bay Whisk also ran. Time, 1:03⅗.

2—⅝; $1000; 3-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Sir Lo, 112 (Pena)	6.20	4.40	3.20
Gay Thorne, 114 (Hooper)		9.20	5.20
Madam High, 109 (Haynes)			4.20

Quick Tool, Jubilate Boy, Keep Flying, Crorovuur, Miss Omega, Street Arab, Just Hiram also ran. Time, 1:02⅘.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $95.20.

3—⅛; $1000; 3-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Very True, 113 (Gillespie)	27.80	12.40	5.60
Alacron, 108 (Williams)		10.40	7.20
Floataway, 113 (Franklin)			6.40

Lewistown, Lillian Roth, Valdina Rex, Helen Agnes, Migration, Dusky Duke, Epizar also ran. Time, 1:30⅘.

4—⅛; $1400; 3-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Gall Ann, 103 (Franklin)	9.20	4.80	4.20
Rusty Gold, 111 (Loturco)		3.80	2.80
Snow Fly, 101 (Gillespie)			5.60

Gummed Up, Rogers Boy, Distant Isle also ran. Time, 1:31⅘.

5—⅛; $1400; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Sandstorm, 102 (Haynes)	13.60	7.40	4.20
Intellect, 107 (Gillespie)		18.60	7.40
Juke Box, 113 (Martin)			2.80

Powdered Milk, Don Miller, K Cup Cake, Queen Kizzie, Play Grier also ran. Time, 1:30⅘.

6—1⅛; $2500; 4-yr.-olds up; handicap.

Jamerica, 117 (Gillespie)	4.60	3.80	2.80
Cerberus, 115 (Pena)		4.40	3.40
Star Cress, 108 (Martin)			3.40

Shadburn, Belay, Dingmans, Valdina Vicar, Coordinator also ran. Time, 2:36½.

7—⅛; $1400; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.

Cherry Trifle, 109 (Pena)	5.80	3.40	2.60
Pinlad, 113 (Calvin)		7.00	4.20
Shasta Man, 110 (Martin)			3.20

Liberty Flash, Just Beans, Wise Don, Maejames, Eniscorthy also ran. 1:30⅘.

8—1½; $1200; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.

Lacteos, 113 (Loturco)	30.20	10.40	5.40
Uncle Mose, 120 (Calvin)		4.60	3.20
Tensleep, 108 (Gillespie)			4.20

Dour Brashear, Burning Chips, Maurice K. Tusco also ran. Time, 1:54.

Touchdowners to Hear Chandler, Werber Today

Senator A. B. (Happy) Chandler of Kentucky and Bill Werber, local boy and former infielder of the Cincinnati Reds, are to be the main speakers at the weekly luncheon of The Touchdown Club today at 12:30 p. m.

On the Line . . .

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surprisingly enough, made a million and a quarter dollars during his years of fighting and his vaudeville and lecture work. There have been three fighters named Jack Dempsey—none of them legally named that. There was Jack Dempsey "The Nonpareil," who was John Kelly of County Kildare, Ireland; then William Harrison Dempsey himself, and now there's another Jack Dempsey around, an Italian-American fighter out of New Bedford, Mass. He's a middleweight and his real name is Victor Palmeri.

There's an old pug percolating named Indian Benny Deathpaine, an Aztec Indian who started fighting in 1928 and is still going. Whether by design or not, Fleischer doesn't include Mike Jacobs on the book's list of "World's Outstanding Promoters." Mike is just dumped in there among the "Managers."

Bric A Bac, $18.60, Takes Belmont Top

Belmont Park, N. Y., May 15 (AP).—Bric A Bac, a son of War Admiral, which had failed to win in 10 previous efforts but finished fairly close on a few occasions, broke the ice in decisive fashion here today when he scored by two lengths in the featured Water Mill (Class D) Handicap. Ridden by former Army Man Johnny Gilbert, the J. J. L. Powers' colorbearer completed the one-mile jaunt for 3-year-olds in 1:38 3-5 and paid off at $18.60 for the customary $2.

The chestnut colt's first success came at the direct expense of the Barrington Stable's Romanock, winner in his only two races of the season prior to this afternoon. The latter was favorite in the field of 10 and saved the place by a length over the Wheatley Stable's Step Across.

A banner Monday throng of 26,403 saw the seven-race card, which had no jumping event listed.

Romanock tried hard to keep his 1944 record intact. Johnny Longden had the choice away well and slightly in front as four horses bunched in the run for early command. Bric A Bac raced in the middle of the pack along the backstretch. Romanock disposed of Lassie Sue and then Return Call before completing the run around the big bend. Then, when he left an opening turning for home, Gilbert shot Bric A Bac through along the rail to challenge. Romanock tired and allowed the long shot to draw out with ease.

Bobby Permane chalked up a double with a five-length triumph astride Sickle Choice, a $6.90 favorite over the Class D horses in the sixth race. The victor wore down Inspired at the head of the stretch and ran very wide, but was good enough to frustrate the closing bid of Meneither. The latter was an easy second over Inspired.

Water Pearl, $5.30, won the last race by three-quarters of a length. Trierarch was second and Bygones third.

Bill Bennings

BENNINGS AT CHARLES TOWN
1—Brave Heart, Pavillion, Clock Time.
2—Sampler, Dulle, Canto Gallo.
3—BONNIE INA, Freelands Own, Consignment.
4—Lord Loudoun, Town Hall, Comedy Player.
5—Palgene, Tantrum, Col. Scott.
6—Mar d'Esprit, John's Teddy, Milk Chocolate.
7—Silver Beam, Top Transit, Mardi Gras.
8—Danzig, Waugh Pop, Gendarme.

Charles Town Entries

By the Associated Press

1—Charles Town Course; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

*Persian Queen	102	Buckeye	112
Brave Heart	107	True Pilate	107
Myrtle M.	107	*Lock Time	102
*Hedgemon	107	Wild Call	112
Henry's Imp	107	Quatre Dom	107
Pavilion	110		

2—Charles Town Course; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Pone	107	*Cantorallo	107
*Star Runner	107	*Wabaunsee	107
Daring	112	Sampler	107
Kes	107	Lady Jaffa	107
Donarose	107	Huntlands	112
Dulle	113	Barraca	107

3—6½; $600; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Consignment	112	Patch Party	112
High Alta	107	Bonna Ina	107
State Secret	112		
Young and Gay	107	Freelands Own	112

4—Charles Town Course; $600; 3-year-olds up.

Comedy Player	112	Well Allbright	118
Town Hall	115	*Golden Babe	105
Royal Fleet	118	Lord Loudoun	112

5—⅞; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Palgene	108	Strana	111
Dot Says Not	108	Tantrum	111
*Miss Defiance	103	*Inmate	108
*Col. Scott	108	Somewhere	108
*Johns Buddy	116	Bagpipe	113

6—Charles Town Course; $600; 3-year-olds up.

*Disro	109	Red Rosette	119
Milk Chocolate	113	oJhns Teddy	118
Sandy Trail	113	Mars D'Esprit	113

7—4½; $600; 3-year-olds up.

Silver Beam	113	*Gino Gret	102
†Maryland Morn	112	†Big Talk	116
*Top Transit	117	‡Victory Blue	118
Mardi Gras	120	‡Record March	112

†Mrs. R. H. Clemons and Mrs. T. Lewis entry.
‡W. A. Edgar and A. Stone entry.

8—1⅛; $600; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Waugh Pop	114	Danzig	109
Gendarme	114	*The Berries	109
Summer Stock	109	Dark Ace	109
G. C. Hamilton	114	Allen Caid	114

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Post Consensus

AT BELMONT
1—At Play, Volitant, Sun Flame.
2—No selections.
3—Searchlight, Marmeduke, Foe o' Woe.
4—No selections.
5—Picture Prince, Rouge Dragon, The Beak.
6—Stronghold, Kaytee, Jimmie.
7—Air Current, Anibras, Great Rush.
8—KOPAR, Velikie Luki, Pallene.

AT HAWTHORNE
1—Hy-Trite, Proud Sister, String Band.
2—Paladin, Perplex, Skagway.
3—Itabo, Devil's Frolic, To A Tee.
4—High Thorne, David B. Jr., Uh Huh.
5—VALDINA MALDEN, Damie, Tawny Lady.
6—Brolite entry, Chipamink, Creech entry.
7—Campion Hall, June T., Sweeping Ahead.
8—Happy Choice, Kiev Lee, Hardwrack.

Two Games Top Interhigh Baseball Today

Four interhigh baseball games highlight the scholastic week with two today and two Friday. Western meets Anacostia on the Indians' field and Wilson plays host to Central this afternoon to start off the week.

On Friday, Eastern invades Tech and Roosevelt journeys to Coolidge. All games will begin at 4 p. m.

Western, having been beat by Wilson its last game, will attempt to tighten its grip on first place in the standings. The Raiders are one game ahead of Coolidge, Eastern and Tech, all tied for second. Coach Cliff Moore will probably start Gene Gould on the mound with Jim Cavanaugh catching.

The Wilson and Central winners will go into a four-way tie for third place, will be tie for second place with Coolidge, Eastern and Tech, two and lost three thus far. The The Tigers and Vikings have won game should prove one of the best matched affairs this season. Both coaches are undecided as yet whom they will send to the mound.

Other scholastic games today are: Charlotte Hall Military Academy at George Washington; St. Alban's at Washington-Lee; Montgomery-Blair at Georgetown Prep and St. Anthony's at National Training School.

CHARLES TOWN SELECTIONS (Fast)
1—Pavillion, Buckeye, Heremon.
2—Dulle, Wabaunsee, Star Runner.
3—Patch Party, Consignment, Freelands Own.
4—WELL ALLRIGHT, Town Hall, Royal Fleet.
5—Dot Says Not, Johns Buddy, Inmate.
6—Milk Chocolate, Johns Teddy, Red Rosette.
7—Top Transit, Maryland Morn, Victory Blue.
8—Waugh Pop, Allen Caid, G. C. Hamilton.
—Louisville Times (AP).

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Shirley Povich is also the Washington correspondent for the national sports magazine Sporting News, and he is the author of two articles for the Saturday Evening Post on Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Baseball Club, and also of Griffith's biography, "Fifty Years in Baseball."

When you read Povich's accounts of baseball games you feel the thrill of the game—and you

Hecht's Stock Offered Today; $21.75 a Share

By S. Oliver Goodman

The long-awaited public offering of 191,515 shares of the Hecht Co.'s common stock was to be made today at $21.75 a share. A group headed by Goldman, Sachs & Co. and including many Washington investment houses are distributing the stock of the eight-store department store chain whose biggest unit is in Washington.

Today's offering constitutes about 26 per cent of the total 740,376 shares issued and outstanding. The bulk of the stock continues largely in the hands of members of the Hecht family.

Sales Rise, Net Dips

Latest earnings statement shows sales of the Hecht Co. totaled $40,545,000 in the fiscal year ended January 31, 1944. Net profit was $1,708,000, or about $1.98 a share on common stock. For the previous fiscal year, sales were $38,763,000 and net earnings $1,679,000 or $1.94 a share; for the year ended January 31, 1942, sales were $34,387,000 and net $2,047,000 or $2.47 a share.

Recently, directors declared a dividend of 30 cents a share, payable July 31.

The company has no funded debt. Of the $5,7000,000 of 4¼ per cent preferred stock outstanding, about $5,300,000 was bought in 1943 from stockholders by eight insurance companies. Major store and related properties as of January 31, 1944, less depreciation, are carried at more than seven million dollars.

Offering Group Listed

Members of the offering group include Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane; Alex Brown & Sons; Hemphill, Noyes & Co., Stein Bros. & Boyce, Johnston, Lemon & Co.; E. H. Rollins & Sons, Inc.; Auchincloss, Parker & Redpath; Folger, Nolan & Co.; Ferris Exnicios & Co., Inc.; Goodwyn & Olds, Robert C. Jones & Co., Mackall & Coe; Robinson, Rohrbaugh & Lukens.

Little difficulty in oversubscribing the 191,515 shares, first public offering in the history of the 70-year-old firm, is anticipated in local financial circles.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

B. & O. Net Off 14 Million

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad last night issued its pamphlet report for 1943 showing net income of $30,509,480, a drop of $14,814,116 as compared with the previous year.

Operating revenues of $358,142,152 for the year were $51,887,958 larger than in 1942, but expenses showed a $45,343,153 increase and taxes were up $21,403,945.

"Accruals for all taxes in 1943, were $46,757,209, absorbing 13 cents of each dollar of total operating revenues, 43 cents of each dollar of net railway operating revenue and were equal to $14.84 per share on the capital stock," the report said.

"As of December 31, 1943, the record investment in property as related to railway operating income, is $999,678,403, against which $130,406,465 depreciation has accrued, leaving the net recorded investment $869,271,938."

M. A. Custis Honored

Marvin A. Custis, president of the Perpetual Building Association, yesterday was honored by his colleagues for 30 years of meritorious service on the association's board of directors. Arthur G. Bishop, board chairman, presented Mr. Custis with an appropriately inscribed silver bowl.

Cotton Board Elects Michel

Eric Alliot, president of the New York Cotton Exchange, announced that the board of managers have elected Clifford W. Michel, partner of J. S. Bache & Co., to membership. Mr. Michel is serving in the Army with rank of captain and is stationed in Washington.

Late Earnings Statement

Columbia Gas & Electric Corp. and subsidiaries for the 12 months ended March 31 show net income of $10,110,907, equal to 30 cents a share on common stock. This compares with $11,954,461, or 45 cents a share, in the like 1943 period.

Crosley Corp. reports net profit of $1,423,365 after all charges and taxes for first quarter of 1944, against $1,125,230 for comparable portion of 1943.

Anaconda Copper Mining Co. in a preliminary report for the quarter ended March 31 reports net income, before mine depletion, of $7,577,631, equal to 87 cents a share, compared with $9,085,359, or $1.05 a share, for the similar quarter in 1943.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, May 15 (AP).—All grains weakened today, dropping to new low territory on the current downward movement which got under way about ten days ago. The selling was inspired by favorable crop growing weather and liberal offerings of corn by farmers, leading to the belief that the tight feed grain situation may ease shortly.

New seasonal lows were established by December wheat and rye while July and September deliveries of these grains were at their lowest levels since late last year. A break in rye at Winnipeg, sending prices down about 4 cents at one time, unsettled the brown cereal in this market.

May wheat, oats and barley held at ceilings. Active wheat futures closed ⅝ to 1⅝ lower, July $1.65. Active oats were off ⅝ to 1⅛, July 77⅞. Active barley was 1⅝ to 2⅜ lower, July $1.21⅝. Rye dropped ⅝ to 1⅞, May $1.22⅛@1.22¼.

Range follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	1.73⅜	1.73¾	1.73¾	1.73⅜
July	1.66½	1.66½	1.64½	1.65
September	1.62⅝	1.63¼	1.61¼	1.61¾
December	1.62	1.62½	1.60½	1.61½
Oats—				
May	82	82	82	82
July	78	78¾	77¾	77⅞
September	72⅝	73⅛	72⅛	72⅜
December	71¼	70⅜	70⅜	71
Rye—				
May	1.23	1.24	1.21⅛	1.22¼
July	1.20¾	1.21¾	1.19⅛	1.19⅝
September	1.17⅞	1.18⅜	1.16⅛	1.16⅝
December	1.18⅛	1.19⅛	1.16¾	1.17⅛
Barley—				
May	1.28	1.28	1.28	1.28
July	1.23¼	1.23¼	1.21⅛	1.21⅛
September	1.15¼	1.15¼	1.13⅛	1.13⅜

Cash Grain

BARLEY—Malting, 1.28@1.44½ nominal; feed, 1.15@1.22½ nominal.

FIELD SEED—Per 100 lbs., timothy, 8.75@9.00 nominal; red top, 14.00@15.00 nominal; red clover, 31.50 nominal; sweet clover, 10.50 nominal. Rye, No. 2, 1.23½.

Certain-teed's 'Rebels' Claim Vote Majority

Baltimore, May 15 (AP).—An estimate that the stockholders attempting to oust the management of Certain-teed Products Corp. held a 90,000-vote majority over the company's officers as of April 12 was made today at the opening of a hearing on a court move to force an election.

Thomas F. Peterson of the inspectors of elections committee gave the informal estimate to Superior Judge Emory S. Niles, before whom the dissenting stockholders, led by Rawson G. Lizars of Chicago, obtained an order directing the management to show cause why proxies should not be produced and counted and the election held.

Much-Delayed Meeting

The annual meeting of stockholders, originally fixed for April 12, was postponed by a court order obtained by the management until May 3. At the May 3 meeting, it was postponed again until May 12, when the factions agreed to hold off until after the court hearing.

Peterson told Judge Niles today that his committee would not complete the count of proxies for several days, but said he had a "pretty good idea" of the holdings as of April 12. He then estimated that on that date the management headed by President Hector J. Dowd and Board Chairman B. G. Dahlberg of Chicago had 58,000 votes, and Celotex Corp., which also is headed by Dahlberg, 47,000.

Claim 295,000 Votes

The Lizars' faction, Peterson figured, had about 295,000 votes.

Since there are 697,713 shares of stock outstanding, he continued, there must be 346,357 represented to hold a stockholders' meeting. Judge Niles remarked that had both the management and Lizars' proxies been counted on May 3, the meeting could have been held. The management declined at that time to produce its proxies.

As the hearing began, attorneys for the Lizars' faction requested that the court consider the "case stated" rather than a company demurrer, and Judge Niles assigned time for each side to state its case.

Alleghany Corp. Nets $4,829,051 on Sale

Wilmington, Del., May 15 (AP).—Alleghany Corp., top holding company of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway system, reported today profit of $4,829,051 on the sale of common capital stock of C. & O. during the initial 1944 quarter.

Alleghany's net income, apart from gains from sales of securities, totaled $591,420 before provisions for taxes, compared to $445,441 in the corresponding 1943 quarter.

The holding company carried $5,395,615 to earned surplus, thus reducing its deficit to $65,051,163.

Associated Gas Net Rises in Fiscal Year

New York, May 15 (AP).—Associated Gas and Electric Corp. consolidated net income for the year ended March 31, 1944, totaled $10,243,159, compared with $9,868,667 in the previous 12 months, according to a report filed with the U. S. District Court today by Denis J. Driscoll and Willard L. Thorp, trustees.

Net income for the 1944 March quarter was $3,716,128, compared with $3,973,377 for the corresponding period last year.

Local Produce

Eggs and Live Poultry

(Prices paid net f. o. b. Washington.)

EGGS—Market steady; prices paid for Federal-State graded eggs received from grading stations (May 15): Whites, browns and mixed colors, U. S. grade A, large, 36@37, average 36½; U. S. grade A, medium, 30@33, average 32; U. S. grade B, large, 33@35, average 34; U. S. grade B, medium, 27@28, average 28; U. S. grade C, 26@29, average 28. Current receipts: Nearby ungraded eggs, 27@27½, few 28, mostly 27. Receipts: Government-graded eggs, 1037 cases (two days).

LIVE POULTRY—Market about steady on broilers and fryers, easy to weak on fowl; receipts moderate; prices paid net f. o. b. Washington (permitted transportation charges included according to mileage): Broilers and fryers, 31.7@33.2; fowl, 28@29.

Fruits and Vegetables

(Sales on wholesale market in less-than-carlot quantities.)

APPLES—Supplies insufficient to quote.

ASPARAGUS—Market steady; pyramid crates, dozen bunches, New Jersey, large size, 4.75@5.00, mostly 4.75; fair quality, 4.25@4.50; medium size, 3.50@4.00, mostly, around 3.75; pyramid crates, dozen bunched, small to medium size, 3.00, few higher; Delaware, pyramid crates, dozen bunches, medium to large size, 3.00@3.50; Pennsylvania, pyramid crates, dozen, bunched, loose, large size, 4.50.

CABBAGE—Market slightly stronger; Georgia, bushel baskets, domestic round type, 1.75@2.00, mostly around 1.75; South Carolina and North Carolina, 50-lb. sacks, domestic round type, fair quality, $1.50, few higher.

CARROTS—Market slightly weaker; California, Los Angeles crates, bunched, 4.00@4.50, mostly 4.25; Texas, bushel baskets, topped, washed, 2.25@2.50, mostly 2.25.

CELERY—Market strong; prices higher; Florida, 16-inch crates, trimmed tops, individually washed and precooled, 3-6 dozen, best, 9.50@10.00, mostly 9.50; fair quality and condition, 8.00@9.00; 8-10 dozen, 8.00@8.50; fair quality and condition, 7.00@7.50.

LETTUCE—Market firm; Western stock: Supplies very light; California, Los Angeles crates, Iceberg type, 5-dozen, 5.29; South Carolina, 5-peck hampers and hatf-crates, Iceberg type, 2½ to 3 dozen, 2.65@2.75, mostly around 2.65; fair quality, 2.25; Los Angeles crates, Iceberg type, 5-dozen, 4.50; North Carolina, 5-peck hampers, Big Boston type, 3.00; 5-peck hampers, Romaine, 2.50@2.75.

ONIONS—Market slightly weaker; Texas, 50-lb. crates, Yellow Bermudas, 2.00@2.50, mostly around 2.25@2.50, few high as 3.00; 25-lb. sacks, White Boilers, 2.25@2.40.

POTATOES—Old stock: Market about steady; Maine, 100-lb. sacks, Chippewas and Katahdins, U. S. 1, 3.25@3.50; fair quality, 2.75@3.00, poor sprouted low as 2.00; New York, 100-lb. sacks, round whites, U. S. 1, 3.00@3.25; Idaho, 100-lb. sacks, Russet Burbanks, U. S. 1, 4.25@4.50. New stock: Market about steady.

SPINACH—Market about steady to slightly weaker; bushel baskets, Savoy type: Pennsylvania, 1.00@1.10, very few higher; nearby, 90@1.00, very few higher.

SWEET POTATOES—Market about steady; supplies light; few sales; North Carolina, bushel baskets, Puerto Ricans, U. S. 1, 4.00@4.25; Virginia, bushel baskets, Nancy Halls, U. S. 1, 3.50@4.00, mostly 3.50@4.00; bushel baskets, Nancy Halls, fair quality, 3.00@3.50.

TOMATOES—Market about steady; Texas, lugs, ripes and turning, wrapped, 6x8 and larger, 5.50@6.00, mostly 5.50; 6x7, 4.50@5.00, mostly around 4.50; repacks, lugs, ripes and turning, wrapped, 6x6 and larger, best, 6.00, few lower; fair quality and condition, 4.00@4.50; ordinary quality and condition, 3.00@3.50; 10 one-pound cartons, best, 2.50@2.65, very few higher, poorer low as 1.75.

New York Stock Market Quotations

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 337,030 shares; previous day, 220,110 shares; weke ago, 585,510 shares; year ago, 848,310 shares; two years ago, 216,620 sharesffi January 1 to date, 83,587,594 shares; year ago, 136,657,559 shares; two years ago, 40,962,583 shares.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, May 15.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Ch'ges.
30 inds.	138.61	138.84	138.41	138.60	.....
20 rails.	38.69	38.83	38.59	38.70	+0.08
15 utils.	22.55	22.68	22.45	23.58	+0.08
65 stks.	49.46	49.58	49.36	49.46	+0.04

Transactions in stocks used in averages: Today—Industrials, 25,400; rails, 16,310; utilities, 16,500; 65 stocks, 58,210.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	1	57⅜	57⅜	57⅜	— ⅛
Adams Exp	13	12	11⅞	1-⅞	.....
Alaska Juneau	18	5½	5½	5½	— ⅛
Alleghany Corp	11	2	2	2	.....
Allegheny Ludlum	13	27¾	27½	27⅝	+ ⅛
Allegheny Ludlum Stl	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	+ ⅛
Allen Industries	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	.....
Allied Mills	2	32¾	32¾	32¾	+ ⅛
Allied Strs	12	16¼	15¾	15¾	— ¼
Allis-Ch Mfg	5	34⅛	34¾	34⅝	+ ⅜
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	1	110	110	110	.....
Alpha P Wom	8	18⅝	18½	18⅝	+ ⅛
Amal Leather	1	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	.....
Amerada Pet	2	96⅜	96	96	+ ½
Am Ag Ch Del	2	27	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Am Bosch	10	14	13⅞	14	+ ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	3	41	40¾	40¾	.....
Am Can	1	88	88	88	.....
Am Car & Fdy	2	33⅝	33½	33½	+ ¼
Am C & F pf	1	73	73	73	— ¼
Am Ch & Cable	1	23½	23½	23½	+ ½
Am Colortype	1	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Am Distill stpd	8	28½	28½	28½	— ⅛
Am Export Ln	1	25	25	25	.....
Am & For Pow	14	4½	4½	4½	.....
Am & F P $6 pf	3	73½	73	73	—1½
Am & F P $7 pf	13	83	81	81	—1
Am & F P 2 pf	25	21	20½	20⅝	— ⅛
Am-Hawaii S S	3	34	34	34	+ ⅜
Am Hide & Lea	5	3½	3½	3½	.....
Am Home Prod	3	69⅞	69⅞	69⅞	+ ⅛
Am Ice	1	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	.....
Am Locomot	5	16⅜	16½	16⅜	+ ⅛
Am Locomot pf	3	89⅞	89⅜	89⅞	+ ⅛
Am M Co & Fdy	2	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	.....
Am M&Met	2	11½	11½	11½	+ ¼
Am Metal	1	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Am Pow & Lt	7	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....
Am P&L $6 pf	4	44¾	44½	44½	.....
Am P&L $5 pf	1	41¾	41¾	41¾	.....
Am Rad&St S	15	9⅜	9⅛	9⅛	— ⅛
Am Roll Mill	22	13	12⅞	13	+ ¼
AmSafety Razor	2	16¼	16	16¼	.....
Am Seating	1	14¼	14¼	14¼	.....
Am Smelt & R	1	37	37	37	+ ¼
Am Sti Fdrs	1	23½	23½	23½	+ ⅛
Am Stove	2	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	— ¼
Am Sugar Ref	1	39	39	39	+ ¼
Am Tel & Tel	9	157⅜	157⅜	157⅝	+ ⅛
Am Tobacco	1	61½	61½	61½	+ ⅛
Am Tob B	8	63	62¼	63	— ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	1	10	10	10	.....
Am Viscose	6	42⅜	42¼	42⅜	+ ⅛
Am Viscose pf	1	117⅞	117⅞	117⅞	+ ⅛
Am Wat Wks	1	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅛
Am Woolen	2	7⅞	7¾	7⅞	.....
Am Wol pf	1	81⅝	81⅝	81⅝	—1⅜
Am Zinc Lead	1	4¼	4¼	4¼	.....
Anaconda Copp	12	25⅛	25	25	— ⅛
Arm Ill	12	5⅛	5	5	— ⅛
Arm Ill pr pf	1	82	82	82	—1½
Armstrong Cork	1	37	37	37	— ¼
Atch T&SF	4	64½	64½	64½	+ ⅜
Atch T&S F pf	3	94¼	93¾	94¼	+ ¾
Atl Coast Line	3	37¾	36¾	37¾	+ ¾
Atl G & W I n pf	1	63	63	63	+ ¼
Atl Refining	10	32	32	32	+ ¼
Atlas Corp	2	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	.....
Aust Nichols	4	11⅜	11½	11½	.....
Aviation Corp	17	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	.....
Baldwin Loco	1	18½	18½	18½	.....
Balt & Ohio	13	7⅛	7	7	.....
Balt & Ohio pf	5	14¼	14	14⅛	.....
Bangor & Ar	1	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	+ ⅛
Barker Bros	1	15	15	15	.....
Barnsdall Oil	5	15⅛	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	3	17	16⅞	17	+ ⅛
Beatrice Cream	2	32⅜	32¼	32⅜	.....
Beech Aire	4	8¼	8⅛	8¼	.....
Belding-Hem	3	14¼	14¼	14½	+ ⅛
Bell Aire	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	4	36	35	36	+ ¾
Benef Ind Ln	3	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+ ⅛
Best Foods	2	18	18	18	.....
Beth Steel	14	57⅞	57½	57½	— ⅜
Beth Steel pf	1	120	120	120	+ 1⅝
Bigelow-Sanf	2	44½	44⅛	44½	+ ⅜
Black & Deck	2	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛	.....
Blaw-Knox	4	8⅜	8¼	8¼	.....
Boeing Airpl	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	+ ⅛
Bohn Al & Br	1	7⅞	7½	7⅞	+ ⅛
Bond Strs	1	39	39	39	+ ½
Bond Strs pf	2	110½	110½	110½	.....
Borden Co	1	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	+ ⅛
Borg-Warner	9	36	36	36	+ ⅛
Bower Roll B	6	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	.....
Braniff Airw	2	14½	14¼	14¼	— ⅛
Brew Corp Am	1	51⅞	51⅞	51⅞	— ⅛
Bridgeport Br	7	9⅞	9½	9½	.....
Briggs Mfg	3	29¼	29	29½	+ ⅛
Bristol-Myers	2	47⅛	47	47⅛	+ ⅛
Brklyn Un Gas	1	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	5	8⅝	8½	8⅝	.....
Budd Mfg	3	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	+ ⅛
Budd Wheel	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	+ ⅛
Burling Mills	2	29¾	29½	29¾	+ ⅛
Burr Add M	9	12½	12⅜	12½	+ ⅛
Bush Terminal	6	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	.....
Butler Bros	1	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
Butler Br pf	5	29½	29¼	29¼	— ¼
Byers (A M) Co	1	13¼	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	7	21	21	21	+ ⅛
Calif Packing	6	27⅜	26¾	27⅜	+ 1
Calumet & Hec	10	6¼	6⅛	6⅛	— ⅛
Campbell Wyant	1	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	1	25⅜	25⅜	25⅜	.....
Canad Pacific	16	9¼	9⅛	9¼	— ⅛
Carriers & Gen	1	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Case (J I) Co	7	34⅛	34	34⅛	+ ⅜
Caterpil Trac	9	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞	— ⅛
Celanese Corp	3	32½	32⅜	32⅜	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	5	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
Cent Aguirre	2	19⅛	19⅛	19⅜	— ⅛
Cent R R N J	1	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	.....
Century Rib M	3	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅜
Cerro de Pas	2	31¾	31⅝	31⅝	— ⅛
Certain-td Prod	4	5	5	5	.....
Chain Belt	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	+ ⅛
Champ Pap & F	1	24¼	24¼	24¼	+ ⅛
Checker Cab	1	30¼	30¼	30¼	—1
Ches & Ohio	4	44¾	44⅝	44⅝	.....
Chi & E Ill A	1	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	.....
Chi Grt West	3	5¾	5¾	5¾	.....
Chi Grt W pf	4	22⅞	22½	22⅞	+ ⅛
Chi & N W wi	6	22⅜	22¼	22⅜	+ ⅛
C & N W pf wi	14	54	53½	54	.....
Chi Pn T cv pf	1	45	45	45	— ¼
Childs Co	1	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛
Chrysler Corp	6	84½	84⅜	84⅝	— ⅛
City Ice & Fuel	14	20	19⅞	20	.....
Clev Graph Br	1	40	40	40	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	1	32¼	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Bluett Peabody	3	35	35	35	.....
Col-Palm-P	1	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	+ ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	1	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	.....
Colum Broad A	1	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜	+ ⅛
Colum Brdcst B	1	31	31	31	.....
Colum G & El	30	4½	4	4	— ⅛
Coml Credit	8	39¼	38¾	39¼	+ ⅜
Coml Inv Tr	1	42¼	42	42¼	+ ⅛
Coml Solvents	11	16⅛	15	15⅞	.....
Comwlth & Sou	13	14	⅝	⅝	.....
Com & Sou pf	4	82½	81½	82½	+ ¾
Comwlth Ed	10	26¼	26¼	26¼	.....
Conde Nast	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
Consolidun	2	23⅞	23⅞	23⅞	.....
Consol Cigar	2	27½	27½	27½	— ⅜
Cons Copperm	3	3⅝	3½	3½	.....
Cons Edison	10	21½	21⅜	21⅜	.....
Cons Edis pf	4	104¾	104⅜	104⅜	.....
Consol Ind	13	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Cons N F Ind pf	9	21½	21	21	— ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	28	30	29¾	30	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	6	12¼	12¼	12¼	.....
Cons Vultee pf	2	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Container Corp	4	23½	23½	23½	.....
Cont Can	1	36⅛	36⅜	36⅛	.....
Cont Ins	1	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	+ ⅛
Cont Motors	12	6	5⅞	6	+ ⅛
Cont Oil Del	3	31¼	31¼	31¼	+ ⅛
Cooper Bess	1	12¾	12¾	12¾	+ ⅛
Copperweld Stl	1	11	11	11	.....
Corn Products	5	56	54⅝	55	.....
Coty Inc	1	5	5	5	— ⅛
Crane Co	12	23¼	22¾	22⅝	.....
Cream of Wh	1	22	22	22	+ ¼
Crosley Corp	25	19⅛	17⅝	19	+ 1
Crown Zellerb	1	16½	16½	16½	.....
Crucible Steel	1	30	30	30	+ ¼
Crucible Stl pf	2	77	77	77	—1
Cuban-Am Sug	4	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	.....
Cub-Am S cv pf	1	116	116	116	.....
Cudahy Pack	2	24¼	24¼	24¼	.....
Curtis Publish	8	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	.....
Curtis Pub pr pf	3	42¼	42¼	42¼	+ ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	16	5⅛	5	5	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	10	15⅜	15⅛	15⅛	— ⅛
Cutler-Hammer	3	22⅞	22⅜	22⅜	+ ¼
Davison Chem	2	15	14¾	14¾	.....
Decca Records	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	+ ⅛
Deere & Co	6	39	38⅛	39	+ ¼
Deere & Co pf	3	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜	+ ⅛
Del & Hudson	4	27⅛	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Del Lack&West	5	7⅛	7⅜	7⅜	.....
Detroit Edison	5	19¾	19½	19½	+ ⅛
Diamond Match	2	29¼	29⅜	29½	+ ⅛
Diam T Motor	4	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
DistCorp-Seag	3	33¼	33⅛	33½	+ ⅛
Dist Corp-S pf	1	97½	97½	97½	+ ⅛
Dixie Cup A	70	45	44⅞	45	+ ½
Doheler Die Cas	1	36⅜	36⅜	36⅜	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	8	22⅛	22	22	+ ⅛
DouglasAircraft	3	48	47⅜	48	+ 1
Dow Chem pf	2	108⅜	108⅛	108⅜	+ ⅛
Dresser Mfg	1	32¼	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Dunhill Int	4	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜	+ ⅛
du Pont de N	2	144¼	144¼	144¼	+ ¼
Eagle Pich Ld	1	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
Eas'ern Air L	1	37	37	37	.....
Eaton Mfg	2	44	43⅜	44	— ⅛
El Auto-Lite	6	41⅜	40⅞	40⅞	+ ⅛
Elec Boat	9	10½	10⅜	10½	+ ⅛
El Power & Lt	1	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	+ ⅛
El Pow&Lt $7 pf	2	88⅝	88⅝	88⅝	+ ⅛
Endicott-John	2	60⅜	60⅛	60⅜	+ ⅛
Eng Pub Service	24	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	2	⅛	⅛	⅛	.....
Erie RR ct	11	11	10⅜	10⅜	.....
Erie RR pf A	9	57	56⅛	57	+ ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	5	30⅛	30	30	— ⅛
Fans Tel&Rad	2	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
Fed Mogul	1	18	18	18	.....
Federal D Strs	1	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	2	48½	48½	48½	.....
Firestone T&R	3	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝	+ ⅛
First T&R pf	1	106⅛	106⅛	106⅛	+ ⅛
Flintkote	2	20	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	1	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	.....
Fruehauf Tra	5	33¼	33¼	33¼	— ⅛
Frueh Tr 4½ pf	1	106	106	106	.....
Gair (Robert)	1	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	7	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	.....
Gen Am Trans	2	42⅞	42⅝	42¾	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	4	8	7⅞	8	.....
Gen Bronze	3	8¾	8½	8½	— ⅛
Gen Cable	3	4¾	4¾	4¾	+ ⅛
Gen Elec	26	35⅞	35⅝	35⅞	.....
Gen Foods	4	41⅞	41⅛	41⅝	+ ⅜
Gen G & E A	16	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	.....
Gen Motors	24	58¾	58⅛	58⅛	.....
Gen Motors pf	1	127½	127½	127½	+ ⅛
Gen Out Advert	4	8½	8⅜	8½	+ ⅛
Gen Print Ink	2	7¾	7¾	7¾	.....
Gen Pub Serv	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	.....
Gen Real & Ut	4	1½	1½	1½	.....
Gen R & U pf	1	76½	76½	76½	—⅛
Gen Shoe	1	16	16	16	.....
Gen Time Inst	7	23½	23½	23½	.....
Gillette Saf R	8	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	.....
Gill Saf R pf	2	79⅜	79⅜	79⅜	.....
Gimbel Bros	10	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+ ⅛
GimbelBros$6 pf	1	93⅛	93½	93⅛	— ⅛
Gliddden Co	7	20	19½	20	+ ⅛
Gliddden cv pf	1	46¾	46¾	46¾	+ ¼
Gobel (Adolf)	2	1¾	1¾	1¾	.....
Goebel Brew	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	.....
God rich (BF)	3	47	46¾	46¾	+ ⅛
Goodrich(BF)pf	1	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜	.....
Goodyear T&R	28	44½	44	44	— ⅛
Goth Rosiery	6	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	+ ⅛
Graham-aireMo	12	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	.....
GranbyCon Min	1	4	4	4	.....
Granite City Stl	4	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— ⅛
GtNor Ir Ore	3	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	.....
GtNorthn Ry pf	11	33⅜	32⅞	32⅝	.....
Gt West Sug	1	25	24⅞	25	+ ¼
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Radio Programs

Tuesday, May 16 — Washington — Eastern War Time

WMAL 630KC 477M	WRC 980KC 306M	WOL 1260KC 238M	WTOP 1500KC 200M
News at 6, 7, 7:55, 8:30, Prelude, 8:05-7, Town Clock, 7:10-7:45, 8-9, Mahoney, 7:45.	News at 6, 7, 7:55, 8:30, Your Timekeeper, Bill Henson, 8:05-8, World Roundup, 8.	Dawn Patrol to 8:30, Art Brown, 8:35-9:30, News at 8:00, 7:30, 8 and 8:30	Corn Time, 5:45-6:45, Godfrey, 7-8, News, 8:45, 7:30 & 8.
9:00—Breakfast Club 9:15— " " 9:30— " " 9:45— " "	Mirth and Madness News, Baughart Br'dway Melodies	Art Brown At the Organ Listen, Ladies!	News, Godfrey Home Service D'ly Sing Along Muy Amigos
10:00—Sweet River 10:15—My True 10:30— Story 10:45—Listening Post	Lora Lawton Robert St. John Helpmate Pedestr'n Protect.	News, Gladstone Ms. Moneybags Linda's First Love Mary Foster	Valiant Lady Kitty Foyle The Open Door Bach. Children
11:00—Breakfast 11:15— at Sardi's 11:30—Ruth Crane 11:45— " "	Road of Life Vic and Sade Brave Tomorrow David Harum	News; A. Gauth String Ensemble Scratches; Music What's Your Idea	Honeymoon Hill Second Husband Bright Horizon Aunt Jenny
12:00—News; Evans 12:15—Little Show 12:30—Natl. Farm & 12:45— Home Hour	News; Novelette Devotions Matinee Today " "	News; B. Carter Luncheon Music U. S. Marine Band	Kate Smith Speaks Big Sister Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1:00—Bankhage 1:15—Pin Money 1:30— " " 1:45— " "	Nancy Osgood—'Home Forum' Alfred Landon Morgan Beatty	News; Ray Daly Jack Berch Footlight Vignettes Russ Hodges	Life Beautiful Ma Perkins Bernadine Flynn The Goldbergs
2:00— " " 2:15—David Wills 2:30—Jack Little 2:45—Baby Institute	Guiding Light Today's Children Light of World Church Hymns	" " " " Compton, Hodges Russ Hodges	Portia Faces Life Joyce Jordan Young Dr. Malone Perry Mason
3:00—M'ton Downey 3:15—Appointment 3:30— With Life 3:45—Ethel & Albert	American Woman Ma Perkins Pepper Young Right to Happiness	Charlestown Races Russ Hodges " "	Mary Marlin Janice Grey Now and Forever News for Women
4:00—News; Evans 4:15—Music 4:30—"Time" News 4:45—Music	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Loredze Jones Widow Brown	W. Compt'n. News Russ Hodges Full Speed Ahead	Broadway Matinee; News Texas Rangers " "
5:00—Terry & Pirates 5:15—Dick Tracy 5:30—J. Armstrong 5:45—Cap. Midnight	Girl Marries We Love & Learn Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	Art Brown " " News, Compton Superman	Fun With Dunn " " News; Band of W. Amer. Women
6:00—Battle'f News 6:15—News; Music 6:30—Sports; Ag'sky 6:45—W. Kiernan	News; Lois Eld Musicade Dutch Bergman Lowell Thomas	Sports Resume News, Compton "Front Page" Music	Folliard-Costello Edwin C. Hill 6:30 Show News; Harsch
7:00—Let Yourself 7:15— Go 7:30—Dream House 7:45— " "	Fred Waring News of the World Ronald Colman Show	Fulton Lewis, Jr. Johnson Family Confidentially Help Wanted	I Love a Mystery Passing Parade American Melody Hour
8:00—World Goes By 8:15—Lum 'n Abner 8:30—Duffy's 8:45— Tavern	Johnny Presents: Ginny Simms A Date With Judy	News, F. Singiser Fulton Oursler Pick and Pat Time	Big Town " " Judy Canova Show; News
9:00—Famous Jury 9:15— Trials 9:30—Spotlight Bands 9:45—	Mystery Theater " " Fibber McGee and Molly	Gabriel Heatter Nick Carter American Forum of the Air	Burns and Allen Alex Templeton & Morton Gould
10:00—R. G. Swing 10:15—Chest'r Bowles 10:30—Creeps by 10:45— Night	Bob Hope " " Red Skelton " "	" " Modern Melodies San Quentin on the Air	Columbia Presents Corwin Rep. Harry Jeffrey Chocque Music
11:00—News; Evans 11:15—Hour of 11:30— Dreams 11:45— " "	News; Music Harkness of D. C. Words at War	News; B. Repaid Fulton Lewis, Jr. Sinfonietta Unity Viewpoint	Calmer & Howe Arch McDonald's Moon Dial Romance

RADIO NOTES FOR TODAY

Grieg's Concerto in A minor is played on records by Pianist Walter Gieseking and the Berlin State Opera House Orchestra. WINX—11:05 a. m.

Alfred M. Landon, former GOP presidential candidate, speaks on some proposed planks in the party's 1944 platform. WRC—1:30 p. m.

Baby Institute—Dr. Frank Spielman of the staff of Mount Sinai Hospital, New York, will answer questions on maternity care. WMAL—2:45 p. m.

Noel Coward's "Blithe Spirit" is adapted for radio, with Loretta Young, Ronald Colman and Edna Best. WRC—7:30 p. m.

Duffy's Tavern—"Prince" Romanoff and Screen Starlet Ann Rutherford as guests of Ed "Archie" Gardner. WMAL—8:30 p. m.

Lawrence Tibbett comes to the rescue of George Burns' languishing political campaign. WTOP—9 p. m.

Schumann's Third Symphony (the "Rhenish") is played on records by the New York Philharmonic Symphony, Bruno Walter conducting. WINX—9:05 p. m.

American Forum of the Air—"Government Seizure of Business" is discussed, with particular reference to the Montgomery Ward case. Participants are Representatives Charles S. Dewey (R., Ill.), Emanuel Celler (D., N. Y.), Forest A. Harness (R., Ind.), and James A. Wright (D., Penna.). WOL—9:30 p. m.

Norman Corwin's "New York," second in a trilogy of radio plays about three cities, is performed on "Columbia Presents Corwin." WTOP—10 p. m.

Representative Harry P. Jeffrey (R., Ohio), speaks on the "G. I. Bill of Rights," which provides for vocational and educational rehabilitation of returning war veterans. WTOP—10:30 p. m.

WINX and WWDC broadcast every hour on the hour and every available half-hour

Station WINX, Tuesday, May 16, 1944—E. W. T.—630 W.—1340 KC.

MORNING		
6:00 Jerry Strong.	1:00 News.	8:15 War of Enterprise.
6:15 Strong & Johnson	1:15 Music and Sports.	8:30 Crime Clues.
9:05 Music	5:05 Music Hall.	8:45 Sentry Over Washington.
9:30 Traffic Court.	EVENING	9:05 Symphony Hour.
10:05 Music Hall	6:00 Sports Today.	10:00 News.
11:05 Symphony Hour.	6:15 Johannes Steel.	10:15 Cavalcade of Music.
AFTERNOON	6:35 Dinner Music.	10:30 Traffic Court.
12:05 Luncheon Music.	7:05 Pop Concert.	11:05 USO Dance.
	7:30 Back Home Hour.	11:35 Slumber Music.
	8:05 AFGE.	12:00 Midnight Newsreel

Station WWDC, Tuesday, May 16, 1944—E. W. T.—620 W.—1450 KC.

MORNING		
6:00 Sunrise Serenade.	12:30 Mike Hunnicut.	7:00 Tommy Dorsey.
6:30 News; Bob Ball.	1:00 Blessed Eventer.	7:15 Help Wanted
6:45 Dale Crowley.	1:35 1450 Club.	7:30 Richard Eaton
7:00 Mike Hunnicutt.	5:00 Band of the Day.	7:45 Talking Pictures.
10:00 Bing Crosby.	5:15 Sinatra vs. Crosby.	8:05 Romantic Rendezvous
10:30 Alice Lane.	5:30 Victory Vaudeville.	8:20 Dugout Chatter
11:30 Jim Jam Session.	EVENING	:30 Baseball: Washington vs. Cleveland
AFTERNOON	6:00 Melody Lane.	11:00 Post Mortems
12:00 Password Please.	6:30 Leon Pearson.	11:30 News; Stardust
	6:45 Boothby-Mansell.	12:00 Midnight Dancing

DONALD DUCK — By Walt Disney

I FORGOT TO PUT SUGAR ON MY SHOPPING LIST! COULD I BORROW A LITTLE?
SURE, MRS. JONES, I JUST GOT 10 POUNDS!
MONDAY
I'M SO ASHAMED I FORGOT SUGAR AGAIN! MIGHT I HAVE A CUP-FUL?
WHY, YES, I GUESS SO, MRS. JONES!
5-16
WEDNESDAY
DREADFUL ME, I'M STILL OUT OF SUGAR!
OKAY! OKAY!
SUGAR
FRIDAY
HOWDY, MRS. JONES, COULD I BORROW A LITTLE SUGAR?
MONDAY
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MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

DON'T LET THE BIG APE SOCK HER OR YOU'LL HAVE TO COURT MARTIAL A GHOST!
GEE, BUR-- AH-MISS SAINT LOUIS, HOW DID YOU HAPPEN TO THINK THAT MADAME SINGH WAS WEARING ENEMY SILK STOCKINGS...AND THINGS?
I NOTICED D'AAMA WAS ALWAYS WEARING SILK STOCKINGS WITHOUT RUNS...AND YOU COULDN'T DO THAT IN AMERICA... BESIDES, HER FIGURE WAS SO WELL PACKED IN IT COULD ONLY HAVE BEEN STAYED UP BY A NEW CORSET... SAYING THEY WERE BROUGHT BY A BOY FRIEND-PILOT WAS A SHOT IN THE DARK...BUT IT CAUSED SINGH-SINGH TO SING...
QUITE WELL DONE, MISS... I DON'T BELIEVE WE WERE INTRODUCED...
OH—MISS SAINT LOUIS, FLIGHT LIEUTENANT BRISKILL, ROYAL AIR FORCE
HOW DO YOU DO, MISS SAINT LOUIS?...DEVILISH EXPERIENCE YOU'VE HAD! ...HOW DID YOU HAPPEN TO BE HERE WHEN THIS UNPLEASANTNESS TOOK PLACE?
OO-O-O-H HERE IT COMES...

MICKEY FINN — The Kid Himself — By Lank Leonard

SO BARRY REALLY LOVES HIS MEDICATED MAMA--? WELL, BUFF, OLD TRING, MAYBE THIS IS ONCE WHEN YOU OUGHT TO STICK TO THE RULE BOOK!
KAREN W. Physician Surgeon
THANKS, KINGERY-- SINCE THE CHILD USED TO BE YOUR PATIENT, I WANTED THE INFORMATION YOU GAVE ME---!
I WAS HOPING, KAREN, THAT THE CALL WAS FOR-- PERSONAL REASONS--!
OH!--I AM SORRY--THE GIRL SAID TO GO RIGHT IN--!

MR. AND MRS. — Economy Is Wealth—I — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

TAKE A WIRE! TO THE KAYO BROTHERS' CLINIC, KAPASTROMEE, KANSAS! PERSONAL FRIEND SERIOUSLY ILL—WANT YOUR DIAGNOSIS—HASTE IMPERATIVE SO COME BY PLANE—WIRE ME AT RITZ-PLAZA HOTEL STATING WHEN YOU WILL ARRIVE!
--AND SIGN IT MORTIMORE MINTMORE!
MORTIMORE MINTMORE? SAY! WHAT IS THIS—A GAG?
NO, IT ISN'T A GAG! SEND THAT WIRE AT ONCE--AND CHARGE IT TO MY ACCOUNT!
Y-YES SIR!
IT REALLY COULD HAVE BEEN MINTMORE! I JUST CALLED THE RITZ-PLAZA AND HE CHECKED IN THIS MORNING!
HMMM—THEN WELL TAKE A CHANCE AND SEND IT!

DIXIE DUGAN — Ghosts? — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

WE'VE GOT TO ECONOMIZE, AND NO FOOLING!
I KNOW IT? I'M DOING EVERYTHING I CAN
DON'T
SURE YOU ARE. AND I'M GOING TO START RIGHT NOW. TODAY!
OH, YOU AND YOUR ECONOMY. I'VE HEARD THAT BEFORE
YES, BUT I'M SERIOUS THIS TIME. I CAN SAVE A LOT OF MONEY ON LUNCHES
OF COURSE YOU CAN. YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO TO THOSE EXPENSIVE PLACES
I KNOW. I CAN GET JUST AS GOOD GRUB FOR A LOT LESS. ALL I'VE BEEN PAYING FOR IS THE SURROUNDINGS
(CONTINUED TOMORROW)

RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher

HEY, MOM! MRS. SMALTZ'S CAT IS CHASING OUR BIRDS AGAIN!
MAYBE YOU CAN CATCH HER AND PUT A BELL ON HER.
I'VE GOT HER, MYRTLE!
BRING YOUR BELL!
DING! DINGLE DING!
I THOUGHT YOU WANTED TO WORK IN YOUR GARDEN!
SURE! BUT YOU RANG THE DINNER BELL!
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DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — For Or Against? — By Frank Martinek

I DON'T SEE ANYTHING--ARE YOU SURE YOU HEARD A NOISE??
YEAH--A SPOOKY ONE
SPOOKY?? WHAT??
LIKE A RUSTY DOOR CREAKING AS IT OPENS AND CLOSES--
AW--YOU'VE BEEN READING TOO MANY MYSTERY STORIES--
CREAK
THUMP
THERE IT IS!

JOE PALOOKA — What's the Joke — By Ham Fisher

WHAT'S THE JOKE? WHAT'RE YA LAFFIN' AT?
OH NOTHIN' BROTHER.
COME ON BOYS--COME IN WITH THE OTHER GUESTS.
NO-TILL GO IN HERE AWHILE. SEE YA LATER, I AIN'T INTRUSTED IN THEM.
AWRIGHT, FLOYD, C'MON JERRY.
SOMETHIN' FUNNY--I DON'T GIT IT.
OH H'LO--MY NAME'S MINKS. SAY-YOU'RE JOE PALOOKA. I DIDN'T KNOW YOU WAS HERE.
DIDN'T YA?
I JUST MET MOTLE'S GUY. I WENT WIT 'ER FER A YEAR. I GIVE 'ER THE AIR--BUT TH' LITTLE WIRP STILL GOES FER ME--AN' I GOTTA ADMIT I GO FER HER.
IZZAT SO?

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

WINSLOW RETURNS TO THE BRIG.
IS THAT HIS REAL NAME?
RED, I'M GLAD BEARPAW'S ON OUR SIDE!
NO, I DON'T KNOW WHAT IT IS.....QUIET, HERE HE COMES!
WA'AL, I'M BACK! S-SH..... NOW YUH SHAPPIN' BRONCS, BE CAREFUL 'ER I'LL BREAK YUH IN TWO!!
NICE WORK, SAILOR! GO BELOW AND GET A SNACK!
O.K., PARDNER! I NEED VITTELS TO RIDE HERD ON THESE HOMBRES!

JANE ARDEN — Tubby on the Job — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

ANYONE IN HER RIGHT MIND WOULD SCREAM AT SIGHT OF WHAT'S ACROSS THE ROOM! WHY DON'T YOU SCREAM?!
SIMPLY BECAUSE I'M MORE INCLINED TO LAUGH!
I SUPPOSE YOU KNOW YOU ARE BREAKING MY HEART...
HEAVENS! HAVE YOU ONE?
I HAD ONE--UNTIL I SAW YOU. NOW MY HEART IS YOURS, AND I DARE NOT EVEN OPEN MY EYES TO YOUR UNEARTHLY BEAUTY....
AND WHAT, PRAY, DO YOU EXPECT ME TO DO ABOUT THAT?
THE ANSWER TO THAT IS SIMPLE--MARRY ME!

WINNIE WINKLE — A Pair Of Nippers — By Branner

BEFORE YOU DECIDE TO MAKE SHARK SNACKS OF ME AND WAHOO, MAY I SAY A WORD, ZIRCON?
SPEAK--WE LISTEN--MR. ROPER!
YOU SHANGHAIED US BECAUSE YOU THOUGHT I WAS A SALVAGE ENGINEER WHO COULD HELP YOU GET DIAMONDS OUT OF THAT WRECK, RIGHT?
IZZ CORRECT!
WELL, I'M NO ENGINEER, BUT I DID ONCE PHOTOGRAPH AN EXPEDITION LIKE THIS FOR ATLAS PRESS SERVICE--AND I LEARNED A FEW TRICKS--!
VER' GOOD! WE SHALL REMEMBER THAT--IN DECIDING--WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO YOU!
--COME TO MY CABIN, CAPTAIN CROKE AND KASHA BLANCA!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — By Clifford McBride

GOIN' OUT AGAIN? LOOK, KID, YOU'RE LIABLE TO MESS UP THIS RACKET--
OH QUIT WORRYIN'--I'VE GOT TO HAVE SOME FUN, DON'T I?
SHE'S A STRANGER HERE, TUBBY, AND LONELY--LAST NIGHT SHE WENT TO THE MOVIES--
YOU'RE JOB IS TO GET ACQUAINTED AND MAKE A DATE WITH HER--
YOU MEAN--JUST PICK HER UP?
GOLLY!
H'M--HE'S NO SINATRA--BUT HE'S ALONE--AND BETTER THAN NOTHING--
ONE TICKET, PLEASE!
?
THIS IS THE ONE THAT KNOCKS OFF THE POUNDS! ONE-TWO-THREE!
5-16

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED — By Zane Grey

LET ME BE NOW, BABIES--G'AMPA'S GOT TO COOK DINNER!!
G'AMPA!
G'AMPA!
--A PINCH OF PAPRIKA--A PINCH OF DRY MUSTARD, --A PINCH OF----
LET'S SEE! TH' COOK-BOOK SAYS--PUT IN A PINCH OF SALT A PINCH OF PEPPER--
OUCH!
G'AMPA WANT PINCH?
ME PINCH, TOO!
KING'S SHOT DIDN'T BLIND MY ROBOT!
STRIKE, ROBOT!
WITHOUT THAT TELEVISION EYE CLINT CAN'T GUIDE THIS MONSTER!
OH!
SUDDENLY CLINT'S DOG LEAPS AT THE RADIO-CONTROLLED AUTOMATON
5-16

This is the second of a series of advertisements by TIME, The Weekly Newsmagazine, to get Americans thinking harder and straighter about the problems our nation must face and solve if this war is not to have been fought in vain.

Do something with them... or they'll do something to you!

Those 16 billion dollars' worth of factories you now own can make or break your plans for tomorrow.

Those factories of yours are now turning out ships, planes, tanks, jeeps, and bullets at a furious rate. They were built with your money; they represent a quarter of the whole present-day industrial plant of the U.S.

But when the war is over and we no longer need engines of destruction . . . what are you going to do with all your war plants then?

Will they be put *promptly* to peacetime use?

Will they go on providing jobs for millions of workers and help save America from another tragedy of unemployment?

Will they pour out a flood of better homes, better cars, better trains, better gadgets, better food, better clothing, better tools, better machines that will give a brand new, world-wide meaning to "the American standard of living"?

Or will they stand silent and empty for months and years—while the country slides again into depression and unemployment, and maybe you yourself start reading the want ads?

"Of course," you say, "the thing to do is to keep these plants going." For everybody wants to keep the national income somewhere near the pleasant level where it is now—to keep all the people at work who want to work.

But this is not going to be accomplished by wishing. There is an awful lot of headscratching to be done.

The wrong way out, says almost everyone, would be for the Government to take over and run these plants.

Nobody wants or expects the government to go into the automobile business, or the washing machine business, or the thumb tack and paper clip business.

No one doubts that most of the plants should be turned back to the people (management and workers)—back to private industry.

That isn't going to be quite as easy as it sounds.

For example, if the Government decides to sell the plants, what would a fair price be?

Many of the plants were built at inflated wartime costs. Some had to be built with substitute material.

Others were planned efficiently for making military products like tanks and ammunition, and are inefficiently planned for making the gentler products of peace.

Some experts doubt whether their true value will be even 20 cents on the dollar when the war is over.

Should the Government hold out to get all its costs back? Should it accept any price that is offered, just to get the plant converted promptly? Or is there some middle ground that would be fairer to everyone?

If the Government should sell the plants outright, their purchase might require so many millions or billions that only the greatest corporations could afford to bid them in.

Would it be better if the Government were to lease them instead, as Henry Wallace suggests, making the preservation of free competition in industry almost as important an objective as getting a good rental?

If we are to avoid a tragic period of unemployment after the war, *questions like these must be decided now,* before peace comes.

Bernard Baruch has offered some principles to guide you. But it is you—and the people you select to represent you in Government—who must really tackle these knotty problems right now and settle them for good or bad.

Whether it be for good or bad will depend to a great extent on the thought and knowledge that you bring to the settling.

This is one of the great national problems that needs reading and studying and discussing, not by just a handful of experts, but by all the people.

TIME believes America's greatest need, now and in the coming years, is for the sovereign people to make up their minds and speak them out.

To do so, citizens must keep themselves *informed.* And that means not only reading newspapers (whose job is to report the news fast), or TIME (whose job is to make the whole week's news make sense), but also reading books and periodicals that argue the cases and advance the causes that are in the news.

So, in advertisements like this, TIME is seeking to encourage such wide reading and thinking, by setting forth arguments on both sides of certain basic questions.

For TIME's future is firmly linked to a citizenry deeply concerned about public affairs—to a nation fiercely insistent upon knowing the truth, and through the truth, arriving at sound judgments.

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